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F. S. HUFFAM, Official Assignee. Hongkong, April 8, 1869.

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Secretary. Club Chambers. Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

New Advertisements.

LL Persons Indebted to the Estate of the late ROBBET HENRY GRANT, latea clerk in the Naval Yard, Hongkong, are requested to make payment, and all Persons having Claims against the said Estate are notified to send in their claims: to the Undersitated without delay. JNO. J. FRANCIS:

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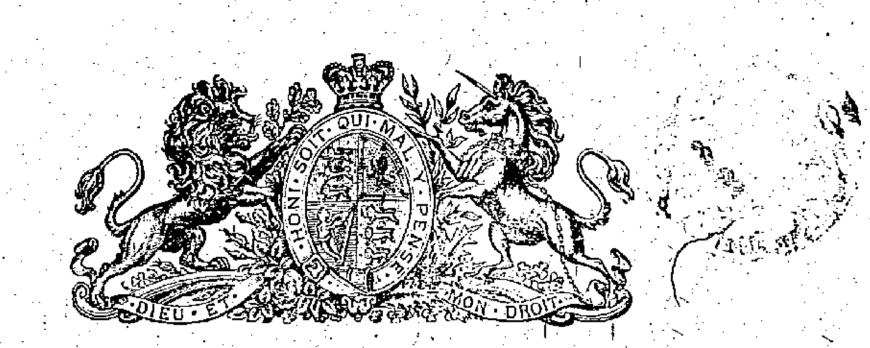
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hogany, and selected for this climate. 6 Music STOOLS. For particulars apply to "A. B." care of China Mail Office.

Hongkong, April 12, 1869. PER OVERLAND MAIL. A ISS ROSE has just received a choice III assertment of Black and Colored SILKS, BAREGE, Fancy and Muslin

RIBIONS, Velvet and Dress TRIM-MINGS in great variety.
WELLINGTON STREET, Oppo Fe the Catholic Chapel.

Hongkong, April 9, 1869.

PILGRIMAGE TO SANCIAN. N consequence of the unsettled state of the weather, Monsgr. Guillermin thinks it advisable to POSTPONE the Pilgrimage until SATURDAY, the 24th inst., at Noon.

J. SOUZA, Secretary. Hongkong, April 9, 1869.

F. A. WHEELER, HAIR CUTTER & HAIR DRESSER, 26, Queen's Road, (Opposite LANE & CRAWFORD'S.)

Hongkong, March 19, 1869.

New Advertisements.

號七十月四年九十六百八千一英

W. P. MOORE,

LIAIR-DRESSER AND PERFUMER Respectfully begs to inform his Patrons and the public that he has moved his Saloon to the Room lately occupied by the Union Dock Co.'s Office, where he hopes for the continuance of the kind patronage that has been given him since the opening of the Hongkong Hotel. Having added an assortment of Fundishing Goods and Per fumery to his former Stock, he hopes by the excellence of his Goods and the moderation of his prices to descrive the Patronage of the Public of Hongkong.

OCCIDENTAL HOTEL, SAN FRANCISCO.

· CALIFORNIA.

HE Occidental Hotel having been recently improved and refurnished, is now in complete order in all its appoint-

Travellers will find the Accommodations of this well known Hotel equal to those of the best Hotels of the Eastern States and

Hongkong, April 13, 1869. ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF SEATHOLDERS.

HE Annual General MEETING of the Court, Cornhill, London. Seatholders of St. John's Cathedral will be held at the Vestry, on THURS-DAY, the 29th inst., at 4 P.M., for the purpose of electing two Trustees for the ensu-10. 3 Pechili Terrace, with immediate year and for passing the Accounts of Treasurer, under the provisions LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Planses 4 and 16 of Ordinance 2 of 1847.

F. W. MITCHELL, Trustee, and Treasurer to the Lody of Trustees. Hongkong, April 13, 1869.

NOTICE. ROM, this date no article of any description will be received for Cooling or Preservation.

H. O'HARA, Agent Tudor Co. Ice House

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

JN BANKRUPTCY.

MIOTICE is hereby given that a MEET ING of the creditors of REUEEN Solomon, of the late firm of Moses & Co., of Victoria, Hongkong, and MARIA MOULD, late of Victoria, Widow and Nurse, will be held, pursuant to the 151st Section of the Bankruptcy Ordinance 1864, in the Supreme jul15 | Court House, on Thursday, the 22nd day of April 1869, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, before WILLIAM HASTINGS ALEXANDER, Esquire, Registrar of the Supreme Court, being the Officer appointed by the Supreme Court sitting in Bankruptey.

payments made or to be made thereout, clare whether any and what part of the CRAWFORD & Co., Queen's Road. nett produce of the Estates of the said Bankrupts, after making reasonable deductions for future contingencies, shall be divided amongst the creditors. Proofs of Debts will be received, and

creditors who have not proved or who shall not then prove, will be excluded from the benefit of the dividend, and all claims not proved will be disallowed F. S. HUFFAM.

Official Assignce. Bongkong, April 8, 1869.

MESSRS. KOSS & Co. F) EG to inform the public of Hougkong that they had established themselves

TAILORS & GENERAL OUTFITTERS. on the premises hitherto occupied by Messrs ap27 LADAGE, UELKE & Co.

Having secured the services of an expereceived per late arrivals a very superior! quirements of the present season. A large stock of Ready-made CLOTH- and Branches. ING, of the latest Fashions, always on

KOSS & Co., Queen's Road Central. Hougkong, February 5, 1869.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

THE Fortnightly Market Circulars published by the CHAMBER, will in future be deliverable from the Office of the Undersigned from 10 A.M. of the morning preceding the steamer's departure. The Circulars are at the disposal of non-Members, on application to the Secretary, who will furnish where Shareholders are requested to apply the annual rental of \$4,500. particulars of cost, &c. J. W. WOOD,

Secretary. Club Chambers, Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

New Advertisements.

LL Persons Indebted to the Estate of the late ROBERT HENRY GRANT, latea clerk in the Naval Yard, Hongkong, are requested to make payment, and all Persons having Claims against the said Estate are notified to send in their claims to the Undersigned without delay. JNO. J. FRANCIS, Solicitor for

Executor. Hongkong, 3rd April, A.D. 1869. ma13

AUCTION EERS, NEWS AND COMMISSION AGENTS, QUEEN'S ROAD,

THE SHANGHAI NEWS-LETTER.

subscribers in Shanghai, and Three Dol-The authorized Agents for receiving Advertisements and Subscriptions are :-

San Francisco. London & China Express, 2, Cowper's Slip, New York.

Shanghai, March 20, 1869.

Foreign News.

Digest of Home Opinions on China Sub-

Commercial, Banking, Share Lists, &c.

the Continent, New York, &c. Statistics of Imports and Exports. Supplement.

Hongkong, March 12, 1869.

COMPANY LIMITED At the said MEETING the Official As- 11 March next, the office of this Comsignce will, in pursuance of the 151st Sec- pany, situated over the Hongkong Distion of the said Ordinance, submit state- PENSARY will be closed. Letters can howments of the Bankrupts' Estates recovered ever be left as heretofore in a box placed | Spring Gardens, on and outstanding, and of all receipts and all for the purpose within the same building. The Company's Stock of Chandeliers and and the creditors at the said MEETING other Fittings will, after the above date, be will, in pursuance of the said Section, de- on view at the premises of Messrs LANE,

> Hongkong, February 18, 1860. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK ING CORPORATION.

N Capital of One Hundred Dollars per Share on the 20,000 New Shares of the Corporation's Stock will fall due on the dates following, viz :--

On 1st July, 1869, \$25 1st July, 1870, 1st Jan., 1872, 1st Jan., 1873,

or any portion of the above Calls by antici- | contract. rienced European Cutter, and also having pation will receive interest at the rate of stock of NEW GOODS, of the latest pat- until the respective dates at which the terns, they are prepared to meet all the re- Calls shall fall due, and receipts for such payments will be issued at the Head Office By Order of the Court of Directors,

CORPORATION.

rate of Twelve per cent per annum, say for Warrants.

By order of the Court of Directors, Chief Manager. Hongkong, February 15, 1869.

New Advertisements.

JOHN D. MACDONALD THOMPSON

MORRIS & Co.,

HONOKONG. (Late J. B. Morris, News Agent.)

ligence from this quarter of the world. It is published for the transmission of all the current Mercantile, Political, and General News of China and Japan, by the Pacific oc13 | Mail Steamers to America and Europe. The Subscription to the News-Letter is

Two Dollars and a half per annum, for lars when mailed.

Messrs WM. H. Food & Co., 32, Burling

THE LONDON & CHINA EXPRESS IS published in London for the P. & C Co.'s and French Mails, and contains-

Special Correspondents' Letters from Germany, Holland, &c.

List of Passengers by the current and

Statement of each Ship's Cargo for

MORRIS & Co.,

HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COTICE - On and after the first day of

A. NEWTON.

5 per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly,

VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager. Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

VICTOR KRESSER,

EDMUND-R. HOLMES,

Commission Agents.

KONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

NLARGED to double its former size, now affords a better medium of intel-

Mr J. W. Sullivan, 609, Sansome Street,

Morris & Co., Hougkong, Messrs H. Fogg & Co., Bund, Shanghai.

Summary of Home, Parliamentary, and

Leading Articles on the principal inte-

Narket Reports, Shipping News, Freights, Exchanges, &c., from London and

China and Japan, and by the P. and Subscription-\$12 per Annum. With Export Supplement, \$14.50. Single Copies.

Agents, Queen's Road.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

A!OTICE is hereby given that the Unpaid | neers

HONOKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the Year ending on 31st December last, at the

"STAG HOTEL." Queen's Road, Hongkong.

FAWCETT & Co., CHIP CHANDLERS, GENERAL STOREKEEPERS. WINE & SPIRIT MERCHANTS. SAIL MAKERS,

Wyndham Street, Hongkong. Hongkong, April 1, 1869. UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONG

NOTICE. "I'HE Company's OFFICES are this day REMOVED to the Ground Floor of Messrs Robert S. Walker & Co.'s House at the corner of Ice House Street.

FOR THE RACES.

Hongkong, March 19, 1869.

SAYLE & Co., VICTORIA EXCHANGE.

HAVE RECEIVED EX MAIL STEAMER.

HONG KONG.

Large assortment of MILLINERY, BONNETS, and HATS, of the

A Choice assortment of SILK, MUSand GRENADINE; for Evening

fine assortment of new French FLOW. ERS. HEAD-DRESSES and FEATHERS. A large assortment of new TRIM-

MINGS and FRINGES in all colors,

good assortment of Medicines for Drugs in white and colors, all sizes.

Blue and Green GOSSAMERS, &c. (BRANCH ESTABLISHMENT,

20. Foochow Road, Shanghai.

Hongkong, February 3, 1869.

Auctions. PUBLIC AUCTION. A ORRIS & Co. have received instructions from Lieut. Wood, R. A., to sell-by Public Auction at his residence,

SATURDAY, 24th April, 1869, at 12 o'clock Noon,— The whole of his HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, | comprising Drawing Room Tables, Chairs, Pictures, Sofa, splendid Piano-Forte, nearly new, Bedstead, Chest of Drawers, Toilet Table, Toilet Glasses, Baths, double Washstand. Dinner Service, Crockery-ware, Saddles, Bridles,

TERMS OF SALE,—Cash before delivery Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, April 14, 1869. ap26 PUBLIC AUCTION.

For Catalogues, apply to the Auctio-

IDHE Property at Foochow, known as DENT & Co.'s, will be offered for sale by Public Auction, in June next, Shareholders electing to pay the whole unless previously disposed of by private The Property consists of DWELLING HOUSE,

containing 8 Rooms and Bath Rooms,

ed; the whole surrounded by a Garden,

with Servants' Offices and Stables detach. Australia, America, China and Japan.

This House is let on a short Lease at \$150 per month. OFFICES AND GODOWNS. A House containing 4 Offices and Spacious Tea Room, with fire-proof Godowns, large Treasury, and Compradore's Rooms below, Servants' Offices &c., at-

adjoining the above.

Hongkong, February 1, 1869.

Three large Godowns, A, B, and C,

the 20th day of April, 1869, at Noon,

日六初月三年巳已治同

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received in-

structions to sell by Public Auction,

TUESDAY,

on the Premises. Under the Power of Sale, contained in the Deed of Mortgage, Marine Lot No. 32 B, with the Chinese Houses erected thereon, situate be-

tween Jervoise Street and Bonham Marine Lot No. 212, with the Chinese Houses erected thereon, situate between

the Praya and Bonham Strand. Marine Lot No. 152, with the Chinese Houses erected thereon, situate in Bonhan

Two thirds of the purchase money may remain on Mortgage, if required. For further particulars apply to the Undersigned. TERMS OF SALE.—One-half of the Purchase money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance on completion of

Auctioneer.

Property to be at the risk of the Purchaser from the fall of the hammer, J. M. ARMSTRONG,

the deeds of transfer. All expenses of

transfer to be paid by the Purchaser.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received in structions to sell by Public Auc-

Hongkong, April 5, 1869.

tion, on

the 26th day of April, 1869, (if not previously disposed of) at Noon, on the All the STOCK-IN-TRADE, Good-Will, Drugs, Medicines, instruments etc.,

MONDAY,

Situate in No. 23, Wellington Street. A Soda Water Machine, in perfect working order, with Bottles and other Appurtenances. The Dispensary is well stocked with a Capt. A. D. Donnas, will have cood assortment of Medicines and Drugs.

INTERNATIONAL DISPENSARY

an investment to Chemists and Drag-TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery Gentlemen's Drab Shell and Felt HATS. in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Property to be at the risk of the purchaser from the fall of the hammer.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, April 12, 1869.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF Douly un. COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman-GEO. F. HEARD, Esq.

Ranks.

Deputy Chairman-Julius Menke, Esq. GEORGE J. HELLAND, Hon. J. B. TAYLOR. A. Juost, Esc. WILLIAM LEMANN, J. P. DUNCANSON, W. H. FORBES, ESQ. RICHARD ROWETT, S. D. Sassoon, Esq. Esq.

E. R. Belillos, Esq.

DAVID MACLEAN, Esq. LONDON BANKERS. - London and County HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED

N Current Deposit Accounts at the rate

Hongkong, . . VICTOR KRESSER, Esq.

 $\it Chief\ Manager.$ 

O of 1 per cent, per annum on the daily bulance. On Fixed Deposits .-For 3 months, 2 per cent, per annum. ,, 6 ,, 4 per cent. ,, 5 per cont. ,, LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India,

VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No, 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, January 1, 1869.

FOR SALE The Screw Steam-ship GOVERNOR HIGGINSON, 740 Gross Tonnage, 410 Registered; built at Glasgow in 1856 by James & George Thompson of This property has water frontage, is Glasgow; has bunker space for 160 Tons of situated in the most eligible portion of Coal; steams 9 knots without wind or tide, \$7.50 per paid-up Share of \$125, and \$1.50 situated in the most eligible portion of Coal; steams 9 knots without wind or tide, per Share on which \$25 have been paid, is the business quarter of Foochow, and is at a moderate consumption of fuel; has payable on and after MONDAY, the 22nd let on a Repairing Lease for 5 years, direct engines of 160 nominal Horse Power; instant, at the Offices of the Corporation, commencing from the 1st May next, at has a full poop and cabin accommodations with all fittings for 20 saloon passengers. For particulars, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., For further particulars, apply at the Office of the Trustees, No. 7, Pedder's

PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

Shipping. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Steam-ship "YESSO,"
Captain Asuron, will have immediate despatch for the

above ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, April 16, 1869.

FOR SHANGHAL NAGASAKI AND YOKOHAMA. The Diamond Line S. S.

FOR MANILA. The steamer "FUNG SHUEY" expected from Amoy about the 24th inst., will have immediate For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, April 16, 1869. FOR AMOY & SHANGHAL The O. S. S. Company's

FOR SHANGHAI, CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN. (Loading at Canton and Hongkong.) The steam-ship Capt. Mooney, will have nime-

FOR NAGASAKI, HIOGO AND YOKOHAMA. The steam-ship "FUSIYAMA,"

PACIFIC MAIL STEAM SHIP COMPANY,

The Steam-ship Captain E. R. Warsaw, will sail from Hongkong for Yokohama and San Francisco, on the 19th inst. at 3 r.m. precisely.

No Freight received after Noon of the

18th instant.

GEO. E. LANE,

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

CALCUTTA.

For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

RICHARDSON, Master,
For Freight, apply For Freight, apply to SANDER & Co. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The British ship "JOHN L. DIMMOCK,"

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 13, 1869. FOR SAIGON. With Immediate Despatch. The First-class French barque

FOR NEW YORK. The American barque will load here and Whampoa for New York and have des-

Hongkong, April 10, 1869.

expected to arrive on or about the 20th inst., will meet with quick despatch for the above ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to THE BORNEO CO. LIMITED. Hongkong, April 16, 1869.

despatch for the above port. AUGUSTINE, HEARD & Co.

Capt. Middleton, will be despatched for the above ports on MONDAY NEXT, 19th inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, April 15, 1869.

For Freight or Passage, apply to \ DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, April 12, 1869.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, April 12, 1869.

NOTICE.

Passengers are requested to be on board at 2 P.M., day of sailing. Hongkong, April 9, 1869.

The British steamer "LIGHTNING," Captain Ronger, will be despatched for the above poles, on TUESDAY, the 20th inst., at 4 P.M. Despatches will close at 3 r.m.

FOR YOKOHAMA.

The A 1 British barque

With Immediate Desputch

Hongkong, April 8, 1869.

Hongkong, April 16, 1869. Captain Winchell, will have quick despatch for the above

For Freight, apply to

"ILLE ET VILAINE,"
Captain Boundon, Tons 360,
Register. For Freight or Passage, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, April 10, 1860.

For Freight, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Captain W. B. MATHEWS,  $-On\ Board.$ Hongkong, April 14, 1869,



STEAM FOR Singapore, Penang, Point de Galle Aden, Suez, Malta, Marseilles, and Southampton;

Bombay, Madras, and Calcutta, THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM

NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship "ORISSA," Capt. W. D. ANDERSON, with Her, Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places, on TUESDAY, 20th April, at 9 A.M.

PARCELS and CARGO will be received on board until Noon, and SPECIE until 4 P.M. on the 19th April.

For particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s

CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES

A written declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Route is required by the Egyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents with the Bills of Lading, or with Parcels and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any detention or profitation which may happen from incorrect-ness on such declaration.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company Black Bills of Luding.

W. MACAULAY, Superintendent P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, April 10, 1869.



COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MA-RITIMES DES MESSAGERIES of line wer IMPERIALES.

"PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. STEAM FOR

SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ALEXANDRIA, MESSINA. MARSEILLES,

BOMBAY, PONDICHERY, MADRAS AND CALCUTTA.

THE Compy's. Steam-ship "HOOGLY," Commandant Dr Bovis, will leave this Port for the above places, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, on THURSDAY, the 22d Instant,

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.

Cargo will be received on board until P.M. of the 21st Instant, Specie and Parcels until o P.M. of the 21st Instant (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) For Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the Company's office, Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED.

C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. Hongkong, April 3, 1869.



PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP

COMPANY. THEOUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK.

CTEAMERS of this line will be despatch ed as follows :---Great Republic.

A Steamer will leave Shanghai on or about same date, connecting at Yokohama with above-named steamer. Passengers ticketed through to California,

Mexico, Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France, both via New York and by lines from Panama and Aspinwall Return tickets issued at a reduction of

10 % upon the whole amount for the round

Connections are made at Panama with Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Central and South America, at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company," (Limited) and the "French Transatiantic Company," And, at New York, with the various lines to Europe Tickets issued for the following Steam-ship Lines: Ounard Inman, National, General Transat lantic Con New York and Havre Steamship Co., Hamburg and American Packet Co., and North German Lloyds,

Favorable arrangements have been made | who pays the Order. for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, Lesire to receive payment in the Country in and, from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.

Through Bills of Lading given for Ports of Mexico and on the West Coast of Cen- ginally drawn, the transfer will be granted, trai and South America to as far as Valpa- provided the Order be inclosed to the raiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton and St. Nazaire, France.

Freight to United States payable in advance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery in American Gold Coin with 8 per cent additional, at shipper's option.

For further information, apply at the Agency of the Company, Praya West. soul was but I'm GEO. E. LANE.

Hongkong, February 16, 1869,

### Post-Office Notifications.

MAILS BY THE "ORISSA."-The Contract Packet "ORISSA" will Office will be open for the reception of tion, Newspapers, Books, &c., until 8 P.M. on the 19th Instant. Letters. &c., may be posted in the night box from 8 r.m. on the 19th Instant until 7 A.M. on the following morning.

All Letters posted between 7 and 8 A.M. on the 20th Instant will be chargeable in addition to the usual postage, with a Late Fee of 18 cents.

The latest time for posting Letters at this Office is 8 A.M. and for Newspapers, Books, or Patterns 7 A.M. on the 20th Instant

Further, late letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom via Marseilles or to Singapore, may be to 8,50 A.M. on payment of a late fee of 48 cents each, in addition to the postage, after which no Letters can be received.

Sealed Boxes containing the correspondence the East Side of the building.

All correspondence for places to which prepayment is compulsory must be drepaid in Hongkong Postage Stamps. Insufficiently-stamped Letters addressed to the United Kingdom will be sent on,

charged with a fine of One Shilling in addition to the postage, and and desire

addressed to places to which they cannot be forwarded unpaid, will be opened and returned to the writers as early as possible, but no guarantee can be given that such Letters, if posted after 8 P.M. on the 19th Instant will be returned until after the mail is closed. Postage Stamps should be placed on the upper right hand corner of the correspondefice, except in cases where they may be used in payment of "Late Fees when the Stamp or Stamps represent

ing the late fee should be placed on the lower left-hand corner. All transactions in fractional parts of a Dol lar will be conducted in the Coins prescribed by Ordinance 1, of 1864, and the Proclamation of the 22nd January 1864, and no other Coins, but those therein specified will either be received or given in change as fractional parts

Bank Notes. nev Orders on any of the Money Order

F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General General Post Office, Hongkong, April 10, 1869.

Offices in the United Kingdom will be

granted until 5 P.M. on the 19th Instant

1.—On the 1st October next, and thence forward Money Orders will be issued this Office and at the Agencies thereof at Shanghai and Yokohama on all the Money Worder Offices in the United Kingdom of freat Biftain and Ireland, for amounts no exceeding £10, at the rate of Exchange Current for Each Mail, and charged with Commission according to the following Scale, viz.:--

For sums not exceeding £2,......12 Above £2 and not exceeding £ 5,....24 2.-No Money Order to include a fractional part of a Penny.

3.—Orders drawn in the United Kingdom upon Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yoko. hama, will be paid at the rate of Exchange at which Money Orders are being issued at the time of their presentation.

"4.—Alphabetical Lists of over 3,700 Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom, shewing the Counties in which they are situated, are hung up for public reference at this Office, and also at Shanghai and Yokohama.

5.—Applicants for Money Orders must furnish, in full, the surname, and, at least the initial of one Christian name, both of the Remitter and the Payee; if the Remitter or Payee be a Peer or a Bishop, his ordinary title will be sufficient, if a firm, the usual designation of such firm, such as "Baring Brothers" will suffice; but the mere term Messrs., such as "Messrs, Rivington," or the name of a Company trading under a title which does not consist of the names of the persons composing it, such

as "Carron Co." is inadmissible. 6.—The Remitter on stating that the Order is to be paid only through a Bank, to have the option of giving or withdrawing the name of the Payee; in such case, the Order will be crossed in the same way that Cheques are commonly crossed when they

are intended to be paid through a Bank. 7.—When an Order is presented through a Bank, a receipt by any person will be sufficient, provided the Order be crossed with the name of the receiving Bank, and be presented by some Person known to be in the employ of such Bank.

8.—The signature of the Payce of a Money Order to be affixed to the Order in the place provided for the purpose. If the Payee be unable to write he must sign the receipt by making his mark in the presence Co., New York and Bremen Steam-ship of a Witness, who must sign his name, with his address in the presence of the Officer

9.—Should the Payee of a Money Order which the Order was issued, at some other Office than that in which the Order was ori-Postmaster of the Office in which it was drawn. In such case a new Order will be issued, the Commission chargeable upon which will be deducted from the amount of the new Order.

10.—In the event of a Money Order miscarrying or being lost, a duplicate will be granted on a written application from the Payee, (containing the necessary particulars, and accompanied by an additional Commission) to the Office where the Original Order was payable,

# Prot-Office Notifications.

11.—On the receipt of a similar application, orders will be given to stop payment be dispatched with the usual Mails of a Money Order, or to renew a lapsed for Europe, &c., on TUESDAY, the Order. The additional Commission in the 20th Instant, at 9 A.M., and the Post last case will be deducted from the amount of the new Order. Lapsed Orders must be Ordinary Letters, Letters for Registra- presented with the application for a new

> 12.—But when it is desired that any error in the name of the Remitter or Payee should be corrected or that the amount of a Money Order should be repaid to the Remitter, or that a Lapsed Order should be renewed for payment in the Country in which the Order was originally drawn, application must be made to the Chief Money Order Office of such Country. This application must be accompanied by an additional Commission, unless it have reference to a Lapsed Order, in which case the Commission will be deducted from the amount of the New Order.

:13.—Repayment whether of an original, or renewed, or a duplicate Order, will not posted on board the Packet from 8.30 be made to the remitter until it has been ascertained that the advice has been cancelled at the Office on which the Order was originally drawn,

14.—Payment of an Order must be ob tained before the end of the Sixth Calendar of Box Holders will be received at the Month after that in which it was drawn window set apart for the purpose, on for instance, if drawn in January, payment must be obtained before the end of July, otherwise the Order will become lapsed and a new Order (for which a second Commission, to be deducted from the amoun of the Order, will be charged) will become

15.—If an Order be not paid before the end of the Twelfth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn, -for instance, posted after 7 A.M. on the 20th if drawn in January and not paid before Instant will not be forwarded unless the end of the following January—all claim the Late Fee as well as the postage is to the Money will be forfeited, unless, under peculiar circumstances, the etters insufficiently stamped or unstamped Office of the Country in which the Order was drawn think proper to allow it

16.—After once paying a Money Order by whomsoever presented, the paying Office will not be liable to any further claim. I wrong payment, however, be made owing to negligence on the part of any Officer of the Post Office, the Postmaster General o the Country or Colony in which the negligence occurs will, if he see fit, require the Officer in fault to make good the loss.

17.-No Money Order will be paid unless the advice has been previously received. 18.—Additional, Rules for greater scourity against fraud, and for the better working of the system generally will be made as occasion may require.

19. - Should it appear that Money Orders are used by mercantile men, or others, either in the United Kingdom or at Hongkong, Shanghai or Yokohama, for th transmission of large sums of money, the British or Colonial Post Office, as the case may be, will consider the propriety of in-Payment for Postage Stamps must be made | creasing the Commission, and will exercise in the current Dollars of the Colony or the power of wholly suspending for a time the issue of Money Orders. By Command,

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. General Post Office. Hongkong, 22nd August, 1868.

It is hereby notified for general information that henceforward closed mails for the United Kindom will be made up at this Office and forwarded to London by the United States Mail Packets via San Francisco. Correspondence intended to be forwarded by this route must be addressed via " Sar

Letters, Newspapers, Books and Patterns, be liable to the same rates of postage as those sent by the British Mail Packets via Southampton viz :--For Letters, 24 cents per half-ounce. For each Newspaper not exceeding

ounces, 4 cents. For a packet of Books or Patterns, 8 cents The Postage must in all cases be paid in advance; correspondence not fully prepaid will be sent via Suez,

F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General. General Post Office. Hongkong February 1, 1869.

Insurances

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE. COMPANY. (FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL, -Two MILLIONS STERLING. HE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings of on Goods stored therein, on Coals in Matsheds, on Goods on board FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors

If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-

posals or any other information apply to ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Agents Hongkong & Canton. Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. NOTICE.

L'ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged on short period Not exceeding } d of the Annual Rate.

Above 1 month and not exceeding three months, ..... Above 3 m tha and not excooding six 4 months

Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 14, 1868.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

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DCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. LONDON.

Incorrorated 1859.

CAPITAL, -£1,000,000. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are pre pared to accept Marine risks and issue Policies at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Hongkong, June 6, 1867. ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

ESTABLISHED 1838.

Managing Agents in China, - Messrs. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkong. Medical Referee, - J. IVOR MURRAY, Esq. , M.D.

CAPITAL, £500,000.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Managing Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on Life Assurances. For further particulars, forms of propo-

sals, &c., apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Managing Agents in China. Hongkong, June, 1867.

PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

LIVERPOOL, AND LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANIES.

PHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Companies at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings, or on Goods Stored therein. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, September 28, 1868. NORTH CHINA INSURANCE Co.

THE Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company at the Ports of Tamsui and Kelung, are prepared to Grant Policies of MARINE INSUR-ANCE at current rates.

DODD & Co. Tamsui, 10th August, 1868.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings on Goods stored therein. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

NOTICE.

IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE.

PROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Not exceeding 1 month,  $\frac{1}{4}$  of the annual rate Above I month and not exceeding 3,... Above 3 months and

not exceeding 6,... ? bove 6 months,..... the full annual rate. GIBB, LIVENGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. Hougkong, April 7, 1868.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. I INTIL further notice the following An-U nual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance, viz:-Detached and Semi-detached

Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents. Godowns, Officer, Shops, &c. and their Contents.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY INSURANCE COMPANY.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTIL INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Con-

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GILMAN & Co. Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, March 9, 1866.

NOTICE.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. L ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged in Short Period Insurance, viz:--Not exceeding one } dof the annual rate. Above 1 month, and

Above 3 months, and ) not exceeding 61) } months. Above 6 months, the full Annual rate. GILMAN & Co., Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.

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Hongkong, April 7, 1868,

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NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1809.

CAPITAL £2,000,000 ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,233,927.

ANNUAL REVENUE £497,263.

HE Undersigned AGENTS at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same.

GLLMAN & Co Hougkong, June 21, 1864.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

HE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

NOTICE.

MANOBESTER FIRE ASSURANCE

THE following Rates will be charged in Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool. future for short period Insurances,

Not exceeding 1 month, 1 per cent. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, t do. Above 3 months and not exceeding 6,..... 3

Above 6 months. the full annual rate BOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, April 8, 1868,

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. LIFE ASSURANCE.

HE Undersigned are authorised to issue Life Policies for sums not exceeding HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hougkong, October 14, 1868.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. HE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents of the above Corporation are prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insur ance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-

HE following rates will in future b charged for Short Period Insurances: One month, Three months, Six months. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868. ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY,

NOTICE

TROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Poriod Insurances, viz:--Not exceeding ) i of the Annual Rate.

Above I mouth and not exceeding three? months. Above 3 m'tha and not ex-

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months. Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL, -Two MILLION STERLING. HE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents for the above Company at this port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.

Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

NOTICE. I-RITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY,

LIMITED. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine risks at the current Rates. Policies can be made payable at all the principal ports throughout the World. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.,

Hongkong, November 7, 1867. NOTICE.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY. "I'HE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances, Not exceeding 1 month, & of the annual rate. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 1 do.

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AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above INSURANCE OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine Risks, and issue Policies on any first class Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in China. SINGAPORE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, or LONDON, ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

Hongkong, June 21 1864.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. THE following Rates will be charged in future, for short period lasurances.

Not exceeding One d per cent. Above One Month and not exceeding per cent. Three Months, Above Three Months and not exceeding f'per cent.

Six Months. Thefull Annual Rate Above Six Months. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NOTICE.

HE Undersigned having received extended limits from THE ROYAL INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, are now authorized to issue Policies against FIRE as follows, viz. On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein - in Hongkong, \$60,000; in Macao \$45,000.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE.

Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

THE Undersigned have (us already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Seicretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE. COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and EF-FECTS, therein contained.

In cases of Dwelling-Houses removed from the Town, the rate of Premium will be Three-quarters per Cent, in place of One per Cent. per Annum as hither to charged ; and in cases of Residences, so situated, being detached or semi-detached; the rate will be further reduced to Une-half per Cent. The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE IN-SURANCE on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows, until further notice, viz.:-Detached and semi-detached

Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their Other Dwelling-Houses (simi

larly situated) and their Contents First Class China House and their Contents. Other Risks as per special arrangement, 12 per cent. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

Hongkong, November 9, 1866. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO.

Agents Royal Insurance Company,

PHE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and GOODS, at current rates. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 6, 1867.

BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY HE Undersigned having been appointed Agonts in Hongkong for the above

licies against SEA RISKS, at currentrates. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 1, 1865. YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-

named Company are prepared to grant l'o-

TION OF SHANGHAL HE Undersigned having been appointed Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai. In addition to the usual brokerage this

Company for that year divided pro rata to the amount of premium paid by each policy-holder. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March 2, 1867.

Association returns to the assured of each

year at the close of each current year,

fifteen (15) per cent of the profits of the

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO.

/ THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above Insur-ANCE COMPANY are prepared to grant Policy covering Marine Risks, at the current

EUSSELL & Co.

SAMARAN I SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG.

Hongkong, July 6, 1866.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Macao for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the current Rates. RAYNAL & Co. Macao, August 4, 1866.

DE COSTERLING SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY OF BATAVIA.

SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSUR-ANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the shove named Companies are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual SIEMSSEN & Co, terme. Hongkong, August 1, 1866,

EX FALC NEW GOODS. T: ONGCLOT Fronts, Ga UNDERSHIRTS LARS, White, B and Cotton SOC SCARFS, Cambra Straw HaTS, Elly star's UMBREL Trowser DUCK Franch MERINO. Ladies' and C Untrimmed HATA lin and other DR CAMBRICS, Silk ton HUSIERY, S BODICES, Cam BONS, LACES, DASHERY, &c.

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EX FALCON AND ZIBA. NEW GOODS FOR THE SEASON. ONGCLOTH SHIRTS with Linen Fronts, Gauze, Merino and Silk UNDERSHIRTS, Linen and Paper COL-LARS, White, Brown and Stripe Thread and Cotton SOCKS, NECKTIES and SCARFS, Cambric HANDKERCHIEFS. Straw HATS, Ellwood's HELMETS, Sangster's UMBRELLAS, Masala VESTS Trowser DUCK and DRILL, ALPACA, French MERINO and PARAMATTAS.
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ton HUSIERY, Silk GLOVES, Trimme BODICES, Cambric EDGINGS, RIB BONS, LACES, VELVETS, HABER DASHERY, &c. Window CURTAINS, Mosquito NETS, SHEETINGS and COUNTERPANES Bath and Toilet TOWELS, Antimacassars and Toilet COVERS, Damank Table LINEN, Gauze and other FLANNELS Longcloth and Irish LINENS, STATIO-NERY of all kinds, PERFUMERY BRUSHES, SOAPS, SPONGES, Chil dren's PERAMBULATORS, &c., &c.

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Hongkong, April 10, 1869.

S. W. BAKER & Co.

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fice of the Trustees. No. 7, Pedder's Hill H. P. HANSSEN Hongkong, April 10, 1869.

GREAT REDUCTION. Closing of Business, THE Undersigned, who is closing his business in May next, begs most respecifully to offer to the public, his large selection of Photographs, at the following low rates, an opportunity that should not be lost; patrons wishing to have copies from their negatives can have them at greatly reduced rates.

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Hongkong, March 10, 1869.

JOHN BURD & Co. Hongkong, April 5, 1867.

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C. WAGNER, Hollywood Road Bongkong, March 1, 1869. -1mar-70

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For further particulars, apply to SMITH, ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, September 2, 1867. VELLOW METAL, 18 to 28 oz. Muntz | TATHAM'S BRANDY in 1 doz. cases,

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L'NGLISH-Londonderry West Hartley. L Davisson's West Hartley, Straker's WELSH-Blaengware Marthyr. Apply to ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, March 16, 1866.

FOR SALE. VELLOW METAL 16 to 28 oz. and I Nails. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, September 15, 1868. FOR SALE. Just Received. 500 Barrels PORTLAND CEMENT.

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WHITE & PRICE'S BRANDY. ALLSorr's ALE, draught and bottle, BARCLAY & GUINNESS' STOUT. BRIDGES & SONS' PORTER. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

Hougkong November 20, 1867. NEW BOOK, " | HE Speculations of 'The Old Philosopher' LAU-TSZE." Translated from the Chinese JOHN CHALMERS, A.M.

Price \$1.50, "The Origin of the Chinese" by the same author: Price \$1, Apply at Messrs Lane, Chawford & Co. | Asiatic Bank. or The London Mission House. Hongkong, October 17, 1868.

FOR SALE. UNTZ's Yellow METAL, 20/28 oz. and NAILS.

Vivian's Patent Yellow METAL Reel PLATES, 12lbs, and 13lb, with NAILS, Apply to HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, June 14, 1867.

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TO LET. HE Premises at present occupied by the Undersigned as a Store. THOS. HUNT & Co. Hongkong, April 12, 1869.

TO LET. NE FLOOR of a house in Queen's Road, well situated. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, March 23, 1869.

TO LET. (With possession on the 1st May next.) HOSE very desirable business Premises situated in the Queen's Road and extending to the Praya, at present occupied by Messrs Bowra & Co. This Property can be divided into three portions, viz :--That on the Praya is detached and contains extensive Godowns on the ground and middle floors, with private residence on the upper floor and separate entrance thereto. The portion abutting on the Queen's Road, from its very central position is admirably adapted for a Shop or Store, having godowns on the basement floor, and Dwelling apartments on the upper floor. The Central portion consists of two blocks of buildings, each two storied, and

suitable for offices and godowns. For Particulars apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, March 1, 1860.

WATTH immediate possession. That desirable BUNGALOW, situated at Pokfoolum, and known as "Belmont," Apply to

GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, February, 27, 1869. TO LET.

LI OUSES, Commodious in every respect in that healthy and desirable locality viz., Mosque Terrace. Apply to JOHN GERRARD, Hongkong, February 3, 1869.

CLUB CHAMBERS, D'AGUILAR FEW Sets of these desirable CHAM-

BERS are now vacant, and can be had on reasonable terms. Apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co Hongkong, February 5, 1869.

ME Corner HOUSE, No. 13a in Peel Street, containing five Rooms wil Compradore's Room and Godown attached. Water and Gas laid.

For particulars, apply to H PESTUNJEE SETNA. At Messra P. & A. C. Camajee & Co's Office, Queen's Road. Hougkong, January 19, 1869.

TO LET. THE Corner HOUSE, No. 22 A, in Gage Street, containing six Rooms with Compradore's Room and Godowns attached. Water and Gas laid on. For particulars, apply to

H. PESTONJEE SETNA, At Messrs P. & A. C. CAMAJER & Co.'s Office. - Owen's Road Hongkong, December 1, 1868,

TO LET. With Immediate Possession TOWO Two-Storied Granite GODOWNS at

Wanchi, adjoining the Timber Yard of the Union Dock Company. Apply to LANDSTEIN & Co.

Hongkong, November 23, 1868.

TO LET. 1371TH immediate possession, the Fouse and Offices, No. 4, Gough Street,

lately occupied by Messrs A. WILKINSON & CIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, October 14, 1868. TO LET. CONVENIENTLY situated HOUSE in Chancery Lane. Rent moderate. Apply to

ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, October 5, 1868.

I HREE Spacious GODOWNS suitable for storing dry Goods; also a Fireproof GODOWN capable of containing 1,000 chests of Opium. Situated in the most central part of Queen's Road. Apply to J. F. ROSE, Secretary, Hongkong Hotel Company, Limited. Hongkong, August 12, 1868.

TWO HOUSES TO BE LET ECENTLY put in thorough Repair, si-I tuated on the RISE OF THE HILL, Westward, and an easy distance from the Queen's Road, Apply to MR. BARRINGTON.

Wyndham Street. Hongkong, May 13, 1868. LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE.

THE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Merchandise, in their own Boats, and to receive Ship-Chandlers, Sailmakers; nite godowns, on Moderate Terms. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, March 4, 1866.

NOTICE. TO LET. THE desirable PREMISES on the Queen's Road, lately in the occupation of the For particulars, apply to SMITH, ARCHER & Co.

Hongkong, May 18, 1868. TO BE LET. AWO New and Strong GODOWNS on Marine Lot No. 63.

Apply to GAVIN THOMPSON, at GIBB, LIVID ARTON & Co.'s. Hengkong, December 16, 1867.

Docks.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CHAREHOLDERS are requested to take O notice that the Ninth call of Fifty Dollars on the new Stock of the above named Company is due on the 1st June next and will be payable at the office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking D CORPORATION, where receipts for the pay- dation. ment thereof will be granted by the Ma-

Interest at the rate of Twelve per cent per annum will be changed after the above By order of the Board of Directors. GEURGE N. MINTO Secretary.

Hongkong, March 1, 1869. UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONG KONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

HE Shareholders are requested to take notice that the FIFTH CALL is payable in two instalments of \$100 each say on 31st March and 30th June next, at the Office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation. Interest at the Rate of 12 per cent per

annum will be charged after the above dates. By order of the Board of Directors. ROB. S. WALKER,

Hungkong, February 16, 1869, THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF

Secretary.

THE Company call the attention of Ship Owners, Consigness and Masters of Vessels, to their Establishment at Hongkong and Whampos, for the DOCKING and REPAIRING of Vessels of all classes. At Hongkong the Company have the only Dock in the harbour,—a Granite Dock, solidly built, and of dimensions to admit Ships of 350 feet in length, and drawing 22 feet of water.

Attached to it there are Shipwrights, Blacksmiths, Boiler-makers and Machinery works, and everything necessary for the Repairs of Sailing Vessels or Steamers. The Company have also opened a Shipyard by the side of the Hongkong Dock, and are ready to contract for the construction of Steamers or Sailing Vessels of any

At Whampoa the Company will take Ships at reduced rates. The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN" can be engaged to tow Vessels to sea, or borth them, at reasonable rates.

For particulars, apply to ROB. S. WALKER. Company's Office, Queen's Road, Corner of Ice House Lane.

GEORGE GLASSE,

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SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS

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THE Undersigned hereby inti-

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Hollywood Road, Corner of Aberdeen St.

UNDERTAKERS.

Hongkong, October 28, 1868,

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No. 1, Queen's Road East and Nullah Lane.

Hongkong, May 1, 1867.

Hongkong, April 8, 1869.

FOOCHOW GRANITE FLOORED TRUSTEES-DOCK. The Colonial Secretary, GEO. HEARD, Esq., HE above Dock has been in full working order for the last four years. Length Company, (ex officio) 300 feet, width at bottom 40 feet, depth of water on the sill, springs, average 17 feet, neaps 14 feet. The Dock in ordinary Tides runs dry to the Blocks and is pumped out

For further particulars as to the price of TERMS OF ADMISSIONcoppering, &c., &c., &c., apply to | T. D. TILLINGHAST, Esq., Messis De Silver & Co., Hongkong; Messrs Boyn & Co.,  $\int$  (2 Beds in ea.) Shanghai; or to the Undersigned. In connection with the above is the (Public Wards) powerful Twin Screw Tug " WOOSUNG. Vessels requiring the services of this Tug either from Matsou (where a splendid anchorage will be found during the S. W Dietary Table.

monsoon) or from the White Dogs, can obtain them at moderate rates, on application JOHN C. SKEY, the following rates, renewable one day Pagoda Auchorage, River Min.

been expended:-

By order, W. PATERSON. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

VENDOME, PARIS) in advance. ENGLISH A ND FOREIGN SUPREME COURT CHEMIST VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

PROVINCIAL COURTS OF CHINA AND JAPAN. HE Gazette is a General Weekly Newspaper, containing Officially Revised Reports of Cases heard at the Supreme and Consular Courts, Police Cases, and Proceedings in Bankruptcy; Original Articles; Notes and Queries on Legal points; Reports of Public

mates that he has this day received the appointment of Sur-Advertisements will be charged Tls. per 10 lines, for the first insertion, and 50

under date of December 22nd ROBT. McMURDO.

Hongkong, January 9, 1869. HOLLOWAY'S PILLS. HIS Medicine is universally admitted FRICKEL & Co of European ladies, as it is never failing in its effects in all diseases peculiar to females, while those who are attenuated by the dependent of the trader will be perceive on which side the real interest of MILLAR, LIOUSE, SHIP, & STEAM-BOAT

MONUMENTS and HEAD-STONES mates of India and China. It is the true in trouble. Let all tremblingly obey. friend of the Soldier and Civilian, as cer-LEAD and METALLIC COFFINS, on tain old sores can be removed by it that

Hongkong, February 1, 1867.

Intimations. PATERSON & HANDLEY, House and Ship Plumbers, Copper

and Zinc Workers, and Gas Fitters, 16, Queen's Road West, and Acheong & Yard, Praya West, Hongkong, November 4, 1867.

DOARD and RESIDENCE at No. 5, BONHAM ROAD, W. Good Accommo-

THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY. Hongkong, January 29, 1869. to

PORTRAITS.

MR. J. THOMSON is prepared to take PORTRAITS, VIEWS and other PHOTOGRAPHS - Rooms, Commercial Bank Bu'ldings, Queen's Road. Hongkong, March 11, 1868.

NOTICE. DENTS and Accounts COLLECTED with punctuality and despatch.

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THOS. W. BARRINGTON. 53, Wyndham Street. Hongkong, February 17, 1868. FOLMUSA COAL DEPOT AT KILUNG LAS on hand a large Stock of COAL of

despatch at Current Rates, or deliver the chasers themselves, by the refusal of the same under Contract, at Hongkong and any Teas if they were inferior to the samples; Treaty Port in China,

has hitherto prejudiced consumers. MILISCH & Co... Kilung, April 2, 1868.

SAILORS' HOME, WEST POINT. Trustees. Hon. W. Keswick, | - Forbes, Esq. JOHN DENT.

H. G. THOMSETT. Esq., R.N. Directors Hon. H. B. Gibb. . J. HELLAND, Esq. D. Sassoon, Esq. G. HEARD, Esq. Rev. W. R. BEACH, W. LEMANN, EBQ. Committee of Management.

Hon. W. KESWICK, Chairman. . MACAULAY, Esq. | H. G. THOMSETT G. J. HELLAND, Esq. | Esq., R.N. I TONATIONS of Books, Periodicals, News-Dapers, Clothes, &c., will be most hankfully received.

. OVERBURY. Superintendent. Hongkong, October 29, 1868. SEAMEN'S HOSPITAL,

HONGKONG. The Honourable W.-Keswick, Egg.,

The Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N. W. STANLEY ADAMS, M.D. Resident Sur

Mr Young, House Surgeon W. PATERSON, Esq., Hon. Treasurer. 1st Class (Private Room), per day, \$3.00

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Intimations.

NOTICE. OCUMENTS Translated, at reasonable rates, from English, French, Spanish, Italian, Portuguese or German into Chi-

nese, or from Chinese into English. Address, The "China Mail" Office. 2. Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

NOTIFICATION.

THE TEA TRADE AT CANTON.

HE following Notification has been issued by Her Britannic Majesty's Conat Canton:

Notification

No. 2.

BRITISH CONSULATE,

CANTON, February 26, 1869. Representations having been made to the uindersigned with reference to the difficulties experienced in obtaining the due full filment of contracts through the failure of the Teamen and Brokers to supply Teas in bulk according to the muster upon which they were purchased, he brought the matter, in conjunction with the Consul for the United States, before the Chinese authorities, with a view to devising some mode by which the evil complained of might be recbest quality, and is prepared to suptified. It is obvious that the remedy lay ply Steamers and Sailing Vessels with quick to a great extent in the hands of the purbut difficulties interpose in following this HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED best Mines only, intends to provide a supe- gaged, advices having gone forward, and rior article, free of the Surface Coal that others unnecessary to mention. Moreover, as the rejection of a chop was little likely to cause loss or damage to the Teaman owing to market fluctuations, no unwillingness was felt en his part to such a result; in fact, it was an encouragement to fraudulent practices. The undersigned was therefore of opinion that compelling the fulfilment of contracts or enforcing what is termed an "equitable cut" for inferior quality, were necessary measures, if trade. was to be conducted on anything like a sound basis; he therefore directed his at-W. MACAULAY, Esq.: tention to devising a mode of arbitration or proceeding by means of which the expenses and delay of a Chinese court of law might J. J. MURRAY, M.D. be avoided. It is not worth while to detail the particulars of the proposition he made, as, after long negociations, it was rejected by the Tea guild, who met it by a counter proposition that if Tea when delivered was not equal to muster, it should be rejected. Seeing that no amicable arrangement could be arrived at, the undersigned, in conjunction with the Consul for the United States, requested the Chinese authorities to notify to the Teamen, brokers, and others, that the utmost rigour of the law would be enforced in all cases of fraudulent practices, and he hopes that the Proclamation which has been issued accordingly, a copy of translation of which is annexed, will have the effect intended, by shewing the parties against whom it is directed that they will not escape with impunity from the conse-

quences of their misdeeds. (Signed) D. B. ROBERTSON,

Proclamation by CHEN, Magistrate of the Nanhai District, and YANG, Magistrate of

the P'wangyu District :--We have received instructions from his Honor the Financial Commissioner, embo-

dying orders from his Excellency the Viceroy in tenor as follow:--"The Viceroy received a communication on the 20th August last from the British Consul, Mr Robertson, to the effect that he has been addressed by the British merchants at Canton with reference to the great loss and detriment to their trade caused by the inferior qualities of the Teas supplied by the Teamen, notwithstanding their contracts to deliver Teas according to muster. The practice appears to be that the Teabrokers take round samples of Teas, and the merchants after inspecting and tasting their qualities and arranging for the price to be paid for the chop, with the weight in piculs and the time of delivery, engage tonnage by vessels proceeding to England and when the Teas agreed for arrive in Canton, they are found on inspection to be not only far inferior in quality to the sample supplied, but largely mixed with what are called 'lie-teas,' or leaves of plants of

all kinds prepared to imitate the genuine tea. This has now become the regular practice, and it is necessary that some measures should be taken to put an end to the frauds which are thus perpetrated. He therefore urges that measures be devised with this end in view, etc., etc. The U.S. Consul, Mr King, has also made a similar representation. On receipt of the foregoing the Viceroy ordains that a notification be issued to the Tea dealers with injunctions to be laid upon them for their obedience." The Magistrates being in receipt of the

above instructions, have to issue a notification in pursuance of their tenor; and we do therefore accordingly proclaim for the instruction of all members of the Tea Trade, that it is an obvious duty to make honesty and good faith the guiding princi ples of commerce with foreign merchants, and that to cherish fraudulent designs can in no wise be permitted. They should, moreover, bear in mind that the bulk of the Tea export has been confined of late years to the ports of Fukien, whilst the local trade in Canton teas itself has at the same time languished in an unusual degree. If fraudulent practices in the way of false packing to be the most efficacious remedy be further persisted in, not only will those known to the world. No preparation is so guilty of such acts be liable to prosecution indulging in fraudulent practices, on complaint being lodged by foreign merchants, they shall not only be required to make The science of Medicine has never before compensation, but shall further be visited produced any remedy that can be compared with severe punishment, under the statute to this wonderful Ointment, as it cares for assimilating the offence of obtaining after all other means have failed, all money under false pretences with the crims wounds, sores, ulcers, and also the most of robbery Be ye careful, therefore, not inveterate skin diseases peculiar to the cli- to disobey, and thus to involve yourselves special Proclamation.

> Dated February 22nd, 1869. Translated by WM. FRED, MAYERS,

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## Shipping.

FOR MANILA. The Spanish brig BARCELO, Master, will have quick despatch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to

REMEDIOS & Co. Hongkong, April 6, 1869.

> FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The American ship " HELVĒTIA." Capt. BAILEY, will have quick

despatch for the above port. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, February 26, 1869. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The American ship "OLD DOMINION," will follow the F. A. Palmer, and have quick despatch for the above port.

For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, March 16, 1869,

### Notices to Consignees.

FROM CALCUTTA & SINGAPORE. PHE B. I. S. N. Co.'s Steamer "Governo Higginson," having arrived from the above Ports, the Consignees of Cargo by her are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for Countersignature, and take immediate delivery of-

Cargo impeding the discharge of the above steamer, will be landed and stored at Consiguees' risk and expense. DAVID SASSOON SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, April 14, 1869.

NOTICE THE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.

Ex "Cambodge," 2d February, 1869. . 1 case Chemicals. Ex "Donnai," 30th March, 1869. Mr Schaal . 2 cases (contents unknown) C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.

P. M. S. S. Co. Steamer "CHINA." FROM YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO.

Hongkong, April 14, 1869.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take imme diate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees risk and expense.

GEO. E. LANE, Hongkong, April 9, 1869.

ONSIGNEES of the following Packages per Brit. barque Meteor, from Syd ney, are requested to communicate with the Undersigned, and take immediate delivery of their Goods, or they will be landed and stored at their risk and expense.

K./ 5 pakgs. Mer'dise, ) shipped by Alderson & Sons. E, 48 cases Preserved | shipped by Raboon Feez & Co. Meats. shipped by Chen A T, 7 cases Copper 65 casks Fish.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March 23, 1869.

# Notices of Firms.

THE Undersigned having arrived from Bombay, has established himself as Merchant and Agent, under the Firm and Style of Hajee Meerza Mohmed Ally &

HAJEE MEERZA MOHMED ALLY. ABERDEEN STREET

Hongkong, April 6, 1869.

NOTICE. TAY E have this day admitted Mr BENJA MIN E. GALL, as a partner in our

FAWCETT & Co. Hongkong, April 1, 1869.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY LIMITED.

AAR. C. LANGDON DAVIES having resign-IV ed. Mr EDWARD BAKER has been appointed Secretary of the above Company from this date. Hongkong, March 31, 1869.

HE business heretofore carried on by the Undersigned, will, from this date be continued under the Firm and Style of FUTTABLOY AMELEBHOY. And all outstanding accounts by the Undersigned will be settled, paid, and received by the above

BUDROODIN ASDOOLALLY. Hongkong, March 30, 1869.

THAVE this day established myself as a

PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AD-JUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT. C. LANGDON DAVIES. Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

NOTICE.

FITHE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. WILLIAM NEILSON in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last. Mr Tobias Pim, Mr William Nisbet OLMSTED and Mr H. SEYMOUR GRARY are authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date. OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, October 6, 1868.

RUM this date Mr George E. Lane, will act as Agent of the Pacific Mail the limits of the Pilotage ground. Steam-ship Company at this port. GEO. F. BOWMAN. Hongkong, March 15, 1869.

### **Notices of Firms**

R. D. O. CLARK retires from our Firm, and Mr J. MURRAY FORBES and Mr E. D. BARBOUR are admitted Partners from this date.

BUSSELL & Co. China, January 1, 1869.

A/E have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

### For Sale.

TOBACCO. FOR Sale by the Undersigned, an Invoice of American TOBACCO, comprising-GOLD TWIST. GOLD LEAF. NAVY FOURS. SOLACE.

> And other BRANDS. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer and General Commission Agent.

Commercial Bank Buildings. Queen's Road, Hongkong, April 10, 1869.

PER CASE OF 12 BOTTLES. → OOD Breakfast CLARET, doz., J In pints, 24 pint bottles, Medoc Breakfast CLARET, Dessert CLARET. St. Emilion Chateau Margaux, St. Pierre St. Julien (extra), LARET in Wood. Medoc in Wood, 46 gals. Roussillon, 46 gals...

G. DUBOST & Co. Hougkong, April 1, 1869.

### New Advertisements.

COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MA-RITIMES DES MESSAGERIES

IMPERIALES. The Company's steamer "LABOURDONNAIS." Capt. RAPATEL, will be dis patchedfor Yokohama (direct) shortly after the arrival of the next French concerned the Harbour Master shall have a casting vote.

C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. Hongkong, April 17, 1869.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER. The A 1 British barque "LA SERENA," T. Moddrel, Master, of about 8000 piculs carrying capacity.

BOURJAU, HUBENER & Co. Hongkong, April 17, 1869.

FOR SINGAPORE AND PENANG. The West Indian Pacific S S. Co.'s Steamer "WEST INDIAN," Captain MILLER, will have uick despatch for the above ports.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, April 17, 1869. FOR SHANGHAE. The B. I. S. N. Co.'s str.

GOVERNOR HIGGINSON Captain Mathews, will have quick despatch for the above

For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, April 17, 1869.

NOTICE. SELLING OFF AT COST PRICE

ONE MONTH ONLY. HE Undersigned beg respectfully to cal the attention of Ship-masters and the Public in General to the Notice that they are SELLING OFF the Remainder of their

COST PRICE

ONE MONTH ONLY, and that they have a large assortment of myb Goods, particularly Rope, Canvas, Stores,

Scales, Packing, Tobacco, Sauces, Cheese and Sundry other Articles. THOS. HUNT & Co. Hongkong, April 17, 1869.

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA LIMITED

11R ROBERT S. WALKER has this day M been appointed Secretary to the Company, and Mr John Inclis, the present Acting Secretary, resumes his functions as Managing Engineer for the Company. By order of the Board of Directors.

JOHN INGLIS. Acting Secretary. Hongkong, March 3, 1869.

# HONGKONG HOTEL

ROM this date the Management of the Hongkong Hotel is placed in charge of Mr George E. Potts, to whom all communications should be addressed YEE-WO & Co.

Hongkong Hotel,

April 1, 1869. CHINESE PILOTAGE

> SERVICE. GENERAL REGULATIONS WITH LOCAL RULES

## FOR THE

PORT OF SWATOW. GENERAL REGULATION 1 I. Bye-Laws and Local Rules.

bour Master in consultation with the Con- ter. suls and Chamber of Commerce, with whom also it rests in the same way to fix the number of Pilots, tariff of charges, and define

Swatow shall be six. 3.—The Pilotage ground for the Port of

## New Advertisements

Swatow shall be off Bill Islet to the lower limit of the anchorage Kahchio Point. 4. -The rates of pilotage shall be as fol- prentice on board. lows for all sized vessels between the limits of the Pilotage ground; steamers or sailing vessels, \$2.50 per foot English measurement. july2 To Harbour Pilot for Berthing or Unberthing, 50 cents per foot English measure-

GENERAL REGULATION II. II. Pilots-Individuals Eligible. The subjects, citizens or proteges of Treaty Powers shall, equally with Natives of China and without distinction of nation lity, be is in ballast. eligible for appointment when vacancies occur, by the Board of Appointment, subject to the General Regulations now issued, | board and the Bye-Laws to be under them enforced at the several Ports respectively.

GENERAL REGULATION III. III. Board of Appointment, how to be

The Board of Appointment shall consist of the Harbour Master as President (or a) Senior Pilot, and two persons whose names shall be drawn by lot, by the Harbour Master, from a list prepared and published by the Harbour Master in consultation with the Consuls and Chambers o

GENERAL REGULATION IV. Vacancies: how to be filled up.

1.-Whenever there may be a vacancy among the Pilots, it shall be duly notified in the local prints; and eight days afterwards \$ 5.00 | the Board of Appointment shall proceed to fill it up by a competitive examination. been a Licensed Pilot, has had his License withdrawn, and also any candidate who is unable to procure Consular Certificates as

to Character, &c. 3.—The examination shall be public and gratuitous, and the vacancies shall be given to the most competent among the candidates without distinction of nationality, provided always the competency of the first on the list be not relative but absolute

4:—The Consul concerned may in person, or by deputy, be present and take part in the examination of candidates. 5.—The majority of the votes of the members of the Board shall decide the admission of candidates for Pilots' Licenses, each member having one vote in the Ballot, but in the absence of the Consul

GENERAL REGULATION V. Pilots' Licenses; by whom to be issued. 1.—Pilots' Licenses shall be issued by the Commissioner of Customs in the name and on behalf of the Chinese Government; Li censes issued to Pilots not being natives of China shall subsequently be viséd and registered at the Consulate concerned.

.2—Every Licensed Pilot shall be given a printed copy of the General Regulations and Local Rules and shall produce the same as well as his License when required. 3.—On the first of July each year every Pilot shall pay the sum of Ten Haikwan Taels for the renewal of his License.

GENERAL REGULATION VI. Apprentice Pilots; how to be taken 1. —It shall be allowable for each Licensed Pilot to take an apprentice, for whom shall be responsible; on the application of Pilots, the Harbour Master will supply Ap-

prentices with special certificates. 2.—When the circumstances of the Port appear to demand it, the Harbour Master may authorize apprentices to act temporarily and within certain limits, as Pilots provided they have received certificates of competency from the Board of Appoint

GENERAL REGULATION VII. Licensed Pilots; to whom subordinated,

Unlicensed Piloting, &c. 1.—Licensed Pilots may carry on their business either singly or in Companies They must pay due respect to the wishes and instructions of the Harbour Master, under whose order and control they are placed, and who is invested with power to suspend or dismiss, subject to an appeal to the Consul concurned; when the Pilot is a Foreigner, the appeal to be lodged within

three days. 2.—If guilty of any misconduct for which Consular nunishment has been inflicted, or if proved to have committed any offence against Revenue Laws, the individual concerned may be su pended or dismissed by the Harbour Master, subject to an appeal to his Consul. If a Foreigner, the

appeal to be lodged within three days. 3.—Any one piloting without a License, shall be subject to prosecution before his own authorities, who will deal with the offender in accordance with the Laws of his Country. Any Pilot lending his License to another will be proceeded against and dealt with in the same way, in addition to forfeiting his License.

4.—Any Commanding Officer employing an unlicensed person to pilot his vessel will be liable to be fined in the sum of One Hundred Taels by the authorities to whose jurisdiction he is amenable.

GENERAL REGULATION VIIL Pilot Boats: Regulations to be observed. 1.—Pilot Boats shall be registered with their crews at the Harbour Master's Office. where each boat will be given a certificate and number. The words "Licensed Pilot Boat ? shall, with the number, be legibly painted at the stern, and on the head of the fainsail; and a flag, of which the upper porizontal half shall be yellow, and the lower green, shall be flown. Such registered Pilot Boats shall deposit their national papers with their Consul or the Customs they shall be at liberty to move freely within the limits of the Port and Pilotage ground, and shall be exempt from Tonnage dues. On the requisition of the Harbour Master or his deputies, it will be obligatory on registered Pilot Boats to convey from place to place within the limits, employés belonging to either Customs or Harbour Master's Departments, with such stores as may be wanted for either Light-houses or Light-ships,

2.-Every Licensed Pilot Boat shall pay a fee of Twenty Taels for renewal of License on the first of July each year,

8.—In case of a Pilot going off in an un-registered Boat, he will be authorized to carry the Pilot Boat Flag during the time 1.—Bye-Laws and Rules necessary for he is on board; but no Pilot is authorised the better ordering of pilotage matters at to cruize in an unregistered Boat, without | (Taken at Mesers Falconer & Co.'s Premises, the Ports are to be drawn up by the Har- special permission from the Harbour Mas-

4.—The owner or hirer of any unregistered Boat making use of a Pilot Flag, and not having a Licensed Pilot on board, shall be prosecuted before the authorities to 2.—The number of Pilots for the Port of | whom he is amenable, or whose Flag or national Ensign he has the right to use, 5.-A registered Pilot Bost is not per-

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mitted to fly the Pilot Flag, save when there is either a Licensed Pilot or certificated Ap-GENERAL REGULATION IX.

Flags to be exhibited on arrival. When nearing the anchorage the Pilot cause to be exhibited-A Red and White Flag (No. 3), if vessel is from Hongkong, Japan, or any

Chinese Port. A Blue and White Flag (No. 2), if from any Foreign Port. A Yellow and Blue (No. 10), if the vessel

A Red Swallow Tail (No. 5), if the vessel has gunpowder or other combustibles on

GENERAL REGULATION X. Harbour Pilots: Vessels in Harbour. Berthing, &c. 1.-The duties of the Harbour Pilot, where such exists, will be to take charge of vessels at the outer limit of the anchorage,

berth them in accordance with the orders received from the Harbour Muster's Department, take charge of vessels shifting berth, going in and out of dock, or to and from a wharf or out of the anchorage, and to assist and report to the Harbour Master's Office all matters concerning the shipping in Port, and the conservancy of the river or harbour.

2.—In berthing vessels the Harbour Master will, as far as possible, meet the wishes of Commanding Officers and Consignees and the entrance, working or clearance of vessels taking berths not assigned to them, shall be stopped by the Customs until the 2.—The Board may refuse to admit to Harbour Master's orders are complied with. -Vessels are to moor in accordance with orders received from the Harbour

> the anchorage without his permission. 4.—The Harbour Pilotage Fees payable to the Harbour Master are as follows :--Shifting a vessel's berth; taking a vessel to or from a heaving down Hulk; \$10, in

Master, and they are not to remove from

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# THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, APRIL 17, 1869.

sums up the case:-The defenders of I say if the Central Gov THE CENTRALIZATION POLICY with satisfactory proni should hold it respons An able article which recently appeared phrase mean? Six of in the Morning Herald, on the negociathe original difficulty, of similar difficulties, tions now going on at home regarding tagious disease, by a ne Chinese affairs, has briefly summed up in we should find oursely the Central Governme a single sentence, the guiding principle it had partly neglected which should prevail in our future policy. unable to keep the pea classes of a remote pr As has been so constantly remarked, we foreign residents. Pe do not so much want a new treaty or ing the Central Govern things in disregard of t fresh concessions - welcome as they tions which make it so would be-as some definite security that able for us that we sh that embarrassing posi existing agreements will be strictly caravoid war with China ried out; and this assertion naturally takes us beyond the details of this or that stipulation to the authorities by whom its provisions are enforced. "Better in fact a restrictive treaty, interpreted in a fairly liberal spirit, than a liberal treaty of Southampton, .... 46 cents each & oz. finterpreted in consolicition tive way," seems to be just now the feeling of a large section of the foreign residents in China. Even the warmest 'progressionists" admit that the next best thing to the unrestricted intercourse with the Empire which they now advocate would be an absolute guarantee that hitherto existent arrangements should be totally abandon the carried out in the spirit in which, on our licy" as now defined. other hand, more than part at least, they were framed. We the Chinese Governm may almost venture to say that the all the acts of its semianxiety now evinced to insist upon fresh dinates, because of its concessions arises as much from a feeling further facilities of intercourse. Like the native shopmen who always "ask more than they expect to get," foreigners conveyed in the Mails by British Packet, is | are coming to the conclusion that a heavy per-centage of non-fulfilment must be allowed off every engagement entered into by Chinese. We ourselves take this

view, and are yet prepared to admit much

of what is urged by those who take the

part of China when zealous progressionists

urge her manifold backslidings. The

whole question turns, as we have before

said, upon the powers and status of the

individuals whom we make responsible

as to the performance or non-perform-

ance of treaty stipulations—in other

words, upon that pet hobby of recent

diplomatists the "centralization policy."

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reciprocal and correlative duties; or with party" par excellence), we shall commit our-selves to some act that will be disowned, the Government, and to strive, rather to which husband she would go with, she anworking out ameliorations gradually.

are in proper train, I suppose, through H. must choose only one. Her first love seem- the Captain was ordered home; but he had points of reference will, I think, be treated in an enlightened spirit, if with a due mea- events, she chose him. The next woman woman not appearing, and he arranged sure of deliberation.

Although he does not say so explicitly. the writer evidently believes in the success of the contralization policy—for that Choo procured a writ of habeas corpus in so far satisfactory, and he would now disand the "peace policy" are now sought the petition for which it was stated "that charge him. A warrant had been issued to be made synonymous terms—and the question we raise is how far that policy has been, and will be, successful. We admit its partial success hitherto while the fear of our arms has remained in the Chinese memory, but deny that it will be equally successful for another decade if all fear of an immediate resort to arms texcept upon provocation which is hardly likely to occur in a country where promises to investigate are so cheaply made) be removed. The Morning Herald thus sums up the case:-The defenders of Lord Clarendon's view

with satisfactory promptitude, of course we habeas corpus. should hold it responsible. What does the phrase mean? Six or eight months after the original difficulty, and after a long series of similar difficulties, induced, like a contaglous disease, by a neglect of the first case. we should find ourselves going to war with the Central Government of China, because it had partly neglected and partly proved unable to keep the peace between the lower classes of a remote provincial city and the foreign residents. People talk about holdthat embarrassing position. If we want to | days. atoid war with China we should aim at holding the Central Government responsible for as little as possible. Even if we were in instantaneous communication with that Government it would be a mistake to try and conduct all negociations with the looselyjointed empire under its clumsy sway in an orthodox diplomatic manner; but if that nolicy is attempted while four to six months are required for an interchange of ideas be-Lord Clarendon has made.

In the sentence we have italicised lies, to licy" as now defined. We are on the other hand, more than unwilling to hold the Chinese Government responsible for There remains therefore but the simple resource of acting ourselves whenever we are convinced that the Peking authorities are justified in alleging impotence -in fact, acting just as Mr Medhurst did tunately the tendency of Earl Clarendon's policy just now is to stop this action and reduce the question to one of allowing ] outrage to go unpunished, or making war on the Empire because Prince Kung cians the view that it is practically imresponsible, because if the will be preenforce its decrees. Knowing this, we exacted for Lord Clarendon's blunder.

## LOCAL.

4.- WALTZ ... "The Hussar's," .. Hartmann.

W. J. Collender, Band Master. charge them. It would be necessary that shall ever pray, Four Chinamen have been found guilty "likes o' them," as well as any poor chairof murder at Hawaiia.

somewhat advanced in life, and of excellent two officers from a ship were mentioned, her gravity. reputation, who lived in a small grass house who he supposed would be forthcoming in Menr the Haiku plantation, upon which due time and in due form. the four defendants were employed as field | On the charge sheet there appeared the hands. These natives were believed to have names of the two officers above alluded to, they get them. had quite a sum of money in their posses. viz., "John H. Foote, captain's clerk on sion, a fact of which one, at least, of the board U. S. S. Uncida, and F. B. Atkinson, Chinese, had become aware. It is suppose mate unemployed, Aster House;" but the ed, that under the influence of this gentlemen thus designated failed to appear. temptation an expedition of robbery and They had been bailed on their own recogmurder was planned and, in all pro- nisance last night by Inspector Kirby, who bability, the two old men, after being stated that he had done so to two officers fatally wounded by stabs and blows, before, and had to hunt round the Harbor

Ministers it is evident that we must be obliterating all traces of the commission of again, he said, but would insist upon bail

and will upon the whole, I think, fairly an exalted idea of the efficacy of the writ We, on the other, must be needful of our process. Just now they employ the former. well therefore for the present to avoid for the "Melican" style. The women were was heard to-day, when it appeared by Ah own interest by attending at ten o'clock on Soo's statement that she was kidnapped in | Monday. Defendant thanked his Worship, China and sold to the man who was alleged and withdrew.—Inspector Kirby afterwards to hold her here by force. She said, also, stated that, after communication with the that she never had been married to him. U.S. Consul, it had been arranged that When all the testimony was in, the Court Atkinson would be bailed again, this time told the woman she was at liberty to go | in a more satisfactory manner, and would with whom she choose. Everybody expected | appear in Court on Monday. she would go with her brother, but she decided otherwise, and bidding him "good bye." walked away with the man to whom she had been sold. The brother now thinks say if the Central Government did not act | there is something wrong about the writ of

TO-DAY'S POLICE.

Mr May on the Bench. Patrick Duffy, one of those individuals who have made "bumming" or "beachcombing" a science, was picked up drunk endeavored to get up a sympathetic feeling dorsed by the Magistrate, who said by saying that he had a sore on his head, strength of the same. If prisoner had any ing the Central Government responsible for | soft part in his head, he at least failed in tions which make it so exceedingly undesir- the Bench. His Worship therefore sent sble for us that we should be driven into this "comber" to hard labor for fourteen

Some half-a-dozen chair-coolies were morning, for it was between one and two being ordered to be exposed in the stocks in the morning). Cunningham stated that one hour per week, at the scene of the gn Unice in London, one can only will row could have been heard below at gambling, as a warning to those speculahope that the complications which, in the Pedder's Wharf and above on Caine Road, progress of time, will inevitably reveal the in fact, P. C. 38 had heard it at the latter futility of that attempt, may not involve us place. When No. 75 came to the seene, he Low-tak-yow, an informer under Mr Cald. in too heavy a penalty for the mistake which found some sixteen European gentlemen well's orders, charged with having returned (or gents) of the young, gay and festive to the Colony against the terms of his description, who, immediately upon his conditional pardon. This prisoner brought our mind, the only solution of the per- door of the European brothel in that Mr May remanded the case in order that approach, made a grand stampede into the plexing question which now occupies the vicinity, Cunningham said it was the the charge might be fully inquired thoughts of all who are interested in the house in which the two European females into. The Magistrate took the opportunity future of China. We certainly cannot lived, in the house "down there, round of strongly impressing the informer's mind totally abandon the "centralization po- the corner, your Worship." The coolies with the fact that, if ever he were caught now in custody were in fits of laughter, making any false charge or acting wrongly enjoying the escape of their jovial em- he would meet with would be sharp and all the acts of its semi-independent subor- ingly took the lot of the coolies to the story; but if he ever did find any case of dinates, because of its known weakness. Station, where he charged them with a unfair dealing with prisoners on the part disturbance, as now stated. A Portuguese of the informers, he would certainly punish gentleman popped his head out of a window | very severely. near by and complained of the disturbance. -His Honor asked this inexperienced constable why he did not make some endeavor to arrest some of the Europeans, inact in the Yangchow affair. But unfor- stead of taking up the coolies who were not the cause of the disturbance.—The constable said that it was not so easy taking up "the likes o' them, your Worship." They always met him with a question such as "Do you know who I am?" or, as they often did at the Wharf, "Bobby, call me cannot control some of the Provincial a boat." (Laughter.)—His Worship re-Viceroys. It is vain to endeavour to marked, however, that there was no resimpress upon the minds of home politi- pect of persons recognised by the law, and that all sorts of persons were to be apprepossible to make the Poking Government | hended and charged, if they were guilty of a breach of that law. He was sure that the Inspectors would tell him so .- Inspecsent the power is wanting on its part to tor Kirby here got up and said that if any one was placed on the charge-sheet, whomay indeed share the hope above express- ever he might be, he would have to answer ed that a heavy penalty will not be that charge. A policeman ought not to be too thin-skinned: (which latter remark evidently referred to the familiar "bobbyish" style of address adopted by young gentlemen at the wharf),—His Worship repeated that he could not see what was to be gained THE Band of the 75th Stirlingshire Regi- by taking the coolies into custody, as they ment will perform at the Public Gardens on of course were bound to wait for their mas-Tuesday, the 20th instant, commencing at ters, who had found refuge inside the 5 P.M. The following is the programme:— house.—P.C. 75 said he could not go into 1.-Mancu, ...... Brigade, "........Jones. | the brothel after the gentlemen; and be-2.—Quadrille,...... 'Aglaja,".....Leutner. sides he was new to such duties.—His 8, -Selection,... "Sonnambula," ... Bellini. | Worship observed that he was afraid that he could do nothing to the coolies, as the

the constable should arrest all, even the coolie. The coolies were then dismissed. Napus and Kasusiains, were two natives, Mr May further remarked that he saw that wrong in bailing out the defendants; but

caused, and abundant time allowed, a warrant was issued for Atkinson's apprehenadherent. The Premier perhaps thinks he The San Francisco Bulletin, says:—The sion,—John H. Foote was then arraigned courts have much trouble at the present on a charge of assaulting an inmate of a lauguage) of correct views, and a ferocious ciliate and conserve." Now, we have our time in adjusting the relations between some brothel No. 165 Wellington Street, and National Representatives at Peking, and of the 250 Chinawomen who arrived on the with having created a disturbance in the the leading Mandarins, with the Prince of last steamer from Hongkong and their said house. P. C. Webb stated that on be-Kung at their head, comprehend our rights, countrymen in this city. The Chinese have ing called to the house stated about 8.30 of habeas corpus. and attachment on civil man in bed together, both being slightly On Saturday two women appeared before ever, quiet enough, and the only charge Mr Gladstone, Mr. Bright, and the other the Fourth District Court, who were claim- against them was made by a woman (she statesmen at the helm who constitute the ed by four husbands. Two of the latter did not appear), who had stated to him other two live here. It appeared in evidence out." Both defendants came quietly to that the women had been abducted and sold the Station.—Foote made a rambling statewhich would so complicate the relations as to purchasers who went immediately before ment about "drinks" in the Hongkong to end in incalculable mischief. It will be Judge Pennie and were married according Hotel, going to the house mentioned, and other matters and things, amongst which making fresh issues or open questions with sworn, and when one of them was asked was a statement that Atkinson had admitted that he was the man who made the dispreserve the status quo in its integrity, swered both. The interpreter explained to turbance, if there was any at all.—In reply her that that would be bigamy, a thing to the Bench, Foote further stated that he As to additional Ports, the negotiations | which the Court would not sanction. She | had been very much engaged on hoard, ed most enduring, and she tried to fall in- come to the Station at 8 o'clock this mornto the arms of her "precedent lord;" at all ing, when something was said about the abducted manifested a desire to go with with the Inspector to come in answer to a both hasbands, but finding that impossible | chit which Mr Kirby undertook to send, she preferred the old one. The parties His Worship said that this explanation of were then dismissed. A Chinaman, Ah his non-appearance to answer the charge was been pursued a demonstration that "the his sister Ah Soo was illegally restrained for the compulsory attendance of Atkinson; of her liberty at a Chinese house on Stout's | and as it was possible that his companion | Alley, but that, if allowed to do so, she might have a different story to that now

Chung Aon, a "chop-dollar" shopman. was arraigned on the charge of having struck a woman who was stone-blind. appeared that complainant, together with another blind woman, were engaged last evening in their regular occupation as songstresses, when prisoner called them "stinking pigs;" and on the poor women remonstrating with such uncalled-for abuse, the scoundrel slapped the blind woman the face.—C. C. 88 said he saw the incident, and thought it was a shameful thing to last night and taken to the Station. Duffy strike a blind woman.—This was fully enthe prisoner ought to be ashamed of himand wished to go to Hospital on the self.—Fined 20/ or seven days' imprisonment. - A flogging would have been much more to the purpose, in this case, as the things in disregard of the obvious considera- discovering any weak point on the part of poisoner was a big hulking fellow upon whose hide the "cat" would have fallen

kindly. ] Two coolies were caught in the act of managing an extensive and lively streetcharged by P. C. Cunningham (evidently a gambling business in Tank Lane by a lokong new hand) with having created a disturb- who was out of uniform. The parapherance in Hollywood Road. It appears that nalia were produced; and the case was the attention of the constable was directed | made considerably worse by the offer of some to that part of Hollywood Road between 30 cents as a bribe for their release. His Lyndhurst Terrace and Peel Street, where | Worship made an example of the prisoners, "a great racket, and cries and roaring out" and sentenced them to hard labor for one were making night hideous (or rather month as rogues and vagabonds, besides

A branded man was brought up b and making a great noise, apparently in his peculiar position, the punishment ployets; and P. C. Cunningham accord- decisive. He did not believe the prisoner's

> The following petition was presented in a case which arose out of the robbery of the up in view of that fact :--

Hongkong, 16th April, 1868.—To the ask six dollars for the above two prisoner bent pressure gives it force. 

WHY do ladies have to replenish their

HUNTING PARTIES. - Mothers with daugh-

ters to marry. Sambo, giving an account of his sea used yesterdays of the past. voyage, says, "All de passengers was now

## CORRESPONDENCE

THE MAORI AND HIS MASTER. To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL" SIR,-Your impression of the 12th contained a notice of A New Zealand Patriot what had occurred. The murderers have pearance; and as some delay had been here is a problem for Darwin. In one man is found—we really believe the conjunction possible in a New Zealander—a Patriot of

The characteristic mental feature of the Maori is a singular astuteness. To them the Saxon race is a paradox—they were last night, he found Foote and another their Christianity precisely as the mass of Christians do, on the exterior. Taught "under the influence." They were, how- that Christianity deals subjectively with the spirit, they fail to perceive that it has any objective force. They believe it is a peace party of statesmen (not the "peace were recent arrivals from China, and the that she had got "her arm nearly twisted ed their lands. They failed to detect any such advantages in its doctrine as they in a transition state could esteem. They had their darkness discovered to them, but they emerged only into a state of twilight, from the force of example on all sides, ever stronger than-precept, they have remained westward of the day dawn-for them the true Sun has never risen. To them the Gospel and civilization, has been a pashelion, or mock sun. They found that the fear of God was taught by the precept of men, who worshipped with their lips while their hearts were removed from God.

Doubtless this will sound very harsh, but is not the present condition of affairs in New Zealand with regard to the Macri sace and the issue of the system that has wisdom of the wise has perished, and the

understanding of the prudent been hid." There was one, who stood forth emancipated in his knowledge of first principles would leave the place." Proof in the case given, he (Foote) would be studying his who taught that the Maori question should have on the Colonial Parliament all that elevating influence which the question of a foreign policy has exercised on Great Britain, lifting it out of all narrow-minded conceil and selfishness to that Catholic spirit in which dignity and true safety (not expediency) is born and nurtured to manhood

> But this teaching was regarded as folly by the mass who wanted an immediate result, a sudden cure, a patent medicine pills internally and ointment externally with not only no interruption to business guaranteed, but an immediate bonus to the

Had the mental characteristics of the Maori race been ever kept in view, it would have been known in the original (or Hebraic) sense of that term, that the race could execute but were wanting in masterly wisdom, and that therefore we should have been prepared to guide their great forces to a proper end; that hitherto they had been restless and roving, addicted to vic lence and war, impatient of restraint and ambitious of a proud independence.

In measuring the atrocities of which have lately read we must not omit to guage our own shortcomings. We solicited th race to become subjects of Queen Victoria, but we did not teach them how.

"To lay their hands on ours and swear To reverence their Queen as if she were Their conscience, and their conscience their Queen."

Although some modern intellectual giant name unknown) has achieved the measure ment of Bacon, and declared him to be a very much overlated pigmy, a quotation from his works may not be absolutely mal-a-propos, since it teaches the only just way in | tions. The Russian Treaty does not give which we can judge others-viz, first sitting in judgment on ourselves arraigned at the bar of an educated conscience.

indies sentire, se fieri meliorem.' The rule. Russian Traders do in effect reside | "stamps" to the roaring martyr of the the full, and to use them dexterously, but bly some few nearer the tea districts; but pects of leading a Fenian army across the them, but not much to amend them: like an ill-mower that mows on, and never whets it fares otherwise, that he doth ever intermix the correction and amendment of his authorities as being under foreign protecmind with the use and employment itself." certained law of nature,—this race, as many sain Traders, if they took the same course others, is bound to disappear before the and could live in the same way, without Saxon race. No doctrine can so effectually giving rise to trouble or questions of Foharden the hearts of a superior race as that reign jurisdiction and authority,—so far as than's patience vanished under his illwhich teaches that their best efforts to raise Captain Superintendent's watch The peti- the inferior can have no permanent effects, officials is concerned. tioner was falsely charge with the robbery, and that we have only to acquiesce in a law and the composition given below is drawn of destruction which we did not make, and

which is therefore beyond our control. The manifest destiny of the Saxon race Magistrate of Police Court, Hongkong. - is on account of an endowment. "He false case, this false case is rising with the pride supervenes, then the retribution tish protection. matter of Chinese eleventh month, that your follows. The darkness is as the light. Point when your petitioner was informed | reasoning may be to the spirit of the age, ship punished them two months hard work, offensive, cannot avoid the consequences of the ports. but on the 6th of first month of Chinese of rejecting it. It is the adamantine corner Ah Youn come to your petitioner's house stronger its explosive power; superincum-

clothes, if not give to them they will come The complex relationship which the Coloout from prison must be revenue to your mial Office so obstinately persisted must be petitioner and your petitioner was no maintained to the colonists of New Zealand first month of Chinese to take a false case, planting, has been mainly the cause which by chance of your worship and the Honor- colonists from displaying that intelligence able Judge understood it is false therefore and tact in dealing with the Maori. A spirit

wardrobes so often 1-because their new had enough of true light to cover them work themselves with Foreign machinery paper as "embers from which the sparks clothes are sure to be worn out as soon as with new responsibility, and they will and superintendence. inevitably discover, all too late as it now |-A MAN is a mere telescope in a woman's certainly will be, that they better had sub- assurances made by H. M.'s Government, see and judge better in the affairs of others which no hypocrisy of ours could dim.

than seeking in their soul's sweat what is Telegraphs.

It is most certain that the superficial education of these days is highly stimulative of this state of mental disease; men hate to think things to a conclusion, for fear of coming to a conviction.

E PLURIBUS UNUM.

THE NEW TREATY

The following interesting despatch from Sir Rutherford Alcock, in reply to the various private memorials submitted to him, has been forwarded by H. M. Consul to the Chamber of Commerce, and handed to the N. C. Daily News for publication.

PERING, March 23, 1869. Sir.—With reference to your despatches Nos. 10 & 15 of the 1st and 16th ultimo covering copies of the several communica. tions received from the Chamber of Commerce at Shanghai and from individual members of the Mercantile Community, giving their views on the most desirable means of extending trade and facilitating operations in the interior; I have been glad to receive such full and unreserved statements from those best able to give practical information

The direct transmission of these communications, giving at one view, the opi nions of the mercantile body in China on questions of such importance to trade and in their bearing on our future relations with the country, cannot fail to secure, on the part of H. M. Government, prompt attention, as well as careful consideration in connection with my reports and various other data affecting the revision of the Treaty of Tientain.

As regards the answers received on the question of subsidiary ports, I am led to conclude that the object in view may be secured; the Custom House of each Treaty Port having jurisdiction within certain limits which are co-terminous, and thus including all minor or non-Treaty Ports on the whole coast. The objection of the Chinese government to steamers, only applies to the inland waters not hitherto open to oreign vessels.

But as regards Inland Residence, the obiections appear to be insuperable in connection with extraterritorial rights. Tsungli-yamên state they are willing that Chinese and Foreigners should be placed on an equal footing, but not that the latter should have exceptional advantages and privileges They contend that, if the Foreign merchant claims the one, he must forego the other in common justice to their own people. Thus, both as regards Inland Steam Navigation and residence, the first may be had whenever the Chinese Traders themselves employ steamers on these waters, and the latter whenever Foreign Powers are willing to place their subjects under the laws of the country and amenable to the territorial authority, as Chinese themselves would be in any western state. course, the objections to any such arrangement while the Chinese laws and their administration continue what they now are, must be manifold. But with these irreconcilable differences there does not seem any chance of agreement.

It has been argued in the public press both at home and in China, that this right | Congress in behalf of the Fenians now imof inland residence is already secured to prisoned in Great Britain, and warned British subjects by the Russian Treaty in connection with the favoured nation clause. just as British Missionaries are allowed to dwell in the interior by virtue of a right | tish Legation or Consulate in New York." derived only from the French Treaty.

"Who knows not what it is to descend gar, Ili, and Tabagatai, in Western Tartary have hardly furnished money enough to into himself, or to call himself into account, north of Turkestan, territories which de make it worth his while to get up steam. nor the pleasure of that 'suavissima vita, facto, have long ceased to be under Chinese | The Fenians refuse to give their fifty-cent good parts he hath he will learn to show to in small number at Tseng-yang, and possi- English Bastile. Consequently his prosnot much to increase them: the faults he it is permissive and not claimed as a right; ocean are at present rather poor. Train hath he will learn how to hide and colour and I believe they are simply left alone be- has played himself out in London, Dublin cause they give no trouble, spoak and live and New York. He had better go to and dress like Chinese, and have no Can- Omaha and establish horse railroads of his scythe. Whereas with the learned man ton boys or compradores to get into quarrels with the people, and then beard the by nightmares." tion and not amouable to their jurisdiction. The line of argument which has swayed I believe the subjects of any other Foreign the masses is that from some, as yet, unas- | Power might do the same as those few Rusany interference or molestation from Chinese

Any rights of inland residence of Missionaries that can properly be claimed by lord's feelings, you orter have some respect virtue of the French treaty, are by no for the old bull!" means so clear and unquestionable as has The humble petitioner of Poon Shu Shun hath shewed his people the power of his tish Missionaries, the whole subject is unbeen assumed : and with reference to Briline in Lan Qui Foong, No. 40.—Humble | works, that he may give them the heritage | der the consideration of H. M.'s Govern Sheweth.—That your petitioner begs most of the heathen." "Christ the power of ment, with whom it rests to determine wherespectfully to bring this unfortunate cir- God, and the wisdom of God." An endow- ther they will claim such privileges, and cumitances in to your Worship's considera- ment carries with it certain responsibilities. | accept the responsibilities their enjoyment tion, for your petitioner was charged by a If these are either lightly estimated, or if entails, if they are to be placed under Bri-

petitioner has seen two robbers in West And however intolerable this course of suls entitled to exercise a discretionary the inspector to arrest them and your Wor- the truth remains; those to whom it is authority for residence beyond the limits power in refusing to grant any passport or

new year they are nearly discharge, Young stone. The deeper the truth is buried, the difficulties, there is, in the representations Apart from inland residence and its received from all the ports, a very great unanimity of opinion as to the importance of railroads and telegraphs in addition to inland steam navigation and the working answer for him, Therefore on this 9th day | and the aboriginal race whom we are sup- | freer access to great inland centres of proof mines, as all more or less essential to the said of your petitioner steal watch, but "indered the Colonial Government and the cially for the reform of abuses in the levy of transit dues at the inland barriers.

discharged. Your petitioner thought over of antagonism between the metoikoi was is, that I entirely agree with the writers this case as poisonous as he did therefore engendered, which when the question was as to the great importance of each and all of men?—Because they are always in some it fraught, in the history of the past, with ment of Foreign trade in China. But I A wag, speaking of the embarkation of the sinbuscades and pitfalls of the future. am also bound to add that no efforts troops, said, "Notwithstanding many of who knows that our ancestors once delight- in Peking, and they have been both earnest away in transports." ed in blue pigment and nourished the fero- and continuous, have prevailed with the There are a great many laughable things city of their minds on the flesh of their Chinese Government, or succeeded in re- seedsman !-- U yes, a nurserymaid. upon the old earth; but she always keeps fellows—it is only advanced as a portion of moving their objections to initiatory steps ... "No followers allowed," as the swindler in any of these directions; if I except coal said when he bolted to America. On the other hand the Maori race has mines, some of which they are willing to. ULD maids are described by an American

hand she draws him out, looks him mitted to our influences, and sought for that there was, so far as Great Britain was than in their own. concerned, neither a desire nor intention We are now both haunted with those to apply unfriendly pressure to China to "but if the prisoner is smart, he will leave un-remembered hungry wolves, the mis- induce her Government to advance more the territory before night." He left. rapidly in her intercourse with Foreign A LITTLE child being asked by a Sunday And as experience has been compared to nations than was consistent with safety and school teacher. "What did the Israelites were tied up, while the house was set on after them in consequence of false names captain gave orders for de ship to heave only the path which she has furrowed, so feelings of her subjects, will have any swered, "I don't know ma'am; but I supwe can hardly dare to hope that matters effect in removing this Government's dis- pose they dried themselves."

Men prefer to be diligent inclination to listen to any propositions in finding some form of expediency rather for making a beginning on Railroads and The signature at Washington of a formal

engagement to forbear from any pressure for these objects, and the assurances of Great Britain in the same sense, if other Powers should follow a similar course, may possibly remove some difficulties. By relieving the Government of Peking of all anxiety as to the desire of Foreign powers either to interfere, or dictate what shall or shall not be done for the introduction of great innovations, or to press them in the path of progress, beyond what they deem either safe or practicable, they may be induced to listen more willingly to arguments in favour of a beginning. It is probably in this hope that Mr Burlingame has laboured to obtain these declarations of forbearance and a desire to avoid dictation or pressure on the part of Foreign Powers." But, as regards the desires of the Merchants and the progress of any negotiations here for the realizations of their wishes, it will be very plain to them that, when H. M.'s Government has officially informed the Chinese envoy that they fully admitted the Chinese Government were entitled to count upon the forbearance of Foreign, nations, and that no unfriendly pressure should be brought to bear by Great Britain to induce them to advance more rapidly than might be held safe and consistent with

a due regard to popular feelings, it does not rest with H. M.'s Representative to adopt any course opposed to such declara-You are at liberty to communicate this despatch to the Chamber of Commerce. Your Obedient Servant

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## MISCELLANEOUS.

STEAM VELOCIPEDES. -An inventive genius of Newark, N. J., has conceived the idea of applying steam to the three-wheeled velocipede, leaving the rider nothing to do but to keep his seat; guide the machine, and hold on to his tiller, while speeding over the ground at a 2.40 rate. The plan of this genius is to construct a boiler, twelve inches in diameter by twenty-four inches in height, to be placed over the hind axletree, in an upright position : the boiler to be made of the kind of steel now being experimented upon at Pittsburg, Penn., and which has already withstood a pressure, of 750 pounds to the square inch. The water tank, of four gallons capacity, to be located under the seat, and to be so constructed as to form the brace from the fore to the hind wheel, and the exhaust steam to heat the water in the tank. Steam is to be generated by kerosene oil, to be fed into a furnace containing sand, through a syphon. To avoid the heat, the boiler is to be covered with felt, and encased with wood. A botler of the above dimensions would give one horse power, and sufficient fuel and water could be taken aboard for a four hour's ride. It would not be surprising if steam velocipedes should become a reality before long.

GEORGE Francis Train, on returning from Eugland, demanded permission to address them that if this was not speedily granted. and the "British doors soon thrown open" he would "not be responsible for the Bri-G. F. T. appears to be pretty well "play-But there is error in both these assump- ed out," if we may judge from the following cruel notice given him by the New any general right of residence in the inte- | York Times :- George Francis Train is makrior but only at certain places-on the ing a sorry failure of his harangues. He Mongolian border, as at Urga and at Kash- has had a more handful of hearers, who invisible iron, with phantom cars drawn

> A GENUINE down-easter was lately essaying to appropriate a square of exceedingly tough beef at dinner in a Wisconsin hotel. His convulsive efforts with a knife and fork attracted the attention and smiles of the rest of the company, who were in the same success, when, laying down his utensile, he burst out with, "Strangers, you needn't larf -if you hain't got no regard for the land-

> A GENTLEMAN having got out of all patience with one of his servants, called him in and after giving him a sound scolding, wound up with the stereotyped phrase, " we must part." The servant stood scratching his head for a moment and then said, with a look of much concern, "Sorry am I that we must part, yer honor, but if we must. may I make so bold as to ask, where your honor's going?" The rascal got another

> THE BEST JUDGE. -- A lady said to her husband, in Jerrold's presence :- " My dear, you certainly want some new trowsers. "No, I think not," replied the husband "Well," Jerrold interposed," I think the lady who wears them ought to know."

> "Drop me a line," as the drowning man said to the sailor on deck. How would you expect an accountant to

> speak !-Figuratively. A BACHELOR.—The last definition of him is a man who has lost the opportunity of making a woman miserable.

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SUNDAY. 11:0 day most calin, most bright, The fruit of this the next world's bud The indersement of supreme delight, Writ by a Friend, and with his blood The couch of time, care's baim and ba The week were dark, but for thy light Thy torch doth show the way.

The other days and thou Make up one man; whose face thou art, Knocking at Heaven with thy brow : The workydays are the back-part; The burden of the work lies there, Making the whole to stoop and bow, Till thy release appear.

Man had straight forward gone To endless death: but thou dost pull And turn us round, to look on one, Whom, if we were not very dull, We could not choose but look on still Since there is no place so alone.

The which He doth not fill. Sundays the pillars are, On which heaven's palace arched lies The other days fill up the spare And hollow room with vanities. They are the fruitful beds and borde In God's rich garden : that is bare, !

Which parts their ranks and orders. The Sundays of man's life, Threaded together on Time's string, Make bracelets to adorn the wife Of the eternal glorious King. On Sunday heaven's gate stands one Blessings are plentiful and rife More plentiful than hope.

This day my Saviour rose. And did enclose this light for his: That, as each beast his manger knows, Man might not of his fodder miss. Christ hath took in this piece of ground And made a garden there for those Who want herbs for their wound.

The rest of our creation Our great Redeemer did remove With the same shade, which at his passi Did the earth and all things with it move As Sampson bore the doors away. Christ's hands, though nail'd, wrough our salvation.

And did unhinge that day. The brightness of that day We sullied by our foul offence Wherefore that robe we cast away, Having a new at His expense, Whose drops of blood paid the full price That was required to make us gay, And fit for paradise.

Thou art a day of mirth: And where the week-days trail on ground, Thy flight is higher, as thy birth : O let me take thee at the bound. Leaping with thee from seven to seve Till that we both, being toss'd from eart Fly hand in hand to beaven ! - George Herbert.

What multitudes of prayers we have p un from the first moment when we learne to pray! Our first prayer was a prayer for ourselves; we asked that God would have mercy upon us, and blot out our sins heard us. But when He had blotted our sins like a cloud, then we had more prayers for ourselves. We have had to pray for sanctifying grace, for constraining and restraining grace; we have been led to cray for a fresh assurance of faith, for the com fortable application of the promise, for de liverance in the hour of temptation, help in the time of duty, and for succour the day of trial. We have been compelled to go to God for our souls, as constant beg gars asking for everything. Bear witness children of God, you have never been ab to get anything for your souls elsewhere. All the bread your soul has eaten has come 1,662,063 in the year 1865, to which these which it has drunk has flowed from the living rock-Christ Jesus the Lord. Your soul has never grown rich in itself; it has always been a pensioner upon the daily bounty of God; and hence your prayers have ascended to beaven for a range of spi ritual mercies all but infinite. Your wants were, innumerable, and therefore the supplies have been infinitely great, and your prayers have been as varied as the mercies have been countless. Then have you no cause to say, "I love the Lord, because He bath heard the voice of my supplication? For as your prayers have been many, so also have been God's answers to them. has heard you in the day of trouble strengthened you, and helped you, even when you dishonoured Him by tremb and doubting at the mercy-seat. Remem ber this, and let it fill your heart wit gratitude to God, who has thus graciously teard your poor weak prayers. "Bless th Lord, O my soul, and forget not all Hi benefits,"— $Spurgeon_i$ 

THE POWER OF COAL. The following letter appears in the London Times of 30th Dec., upon the proposed 708 square miles, and 310,050 of populacession of Gibraltar for Ceuta :conflicting opinions respecting the "cession | 13,500 square miles and (in 1861) 25,635 of Gibraltar" expressed in The Times by people. The other colonies and possessions military and naval authorities. As this -the Straits Settlements, Hong Kong question is of paramount importance to the West African Settlements, Labuan, St

in the world. It is the Mediterranean, as to 4,562,000 square miles, and their populano vessel can pass the Straits without the tion to 161,486,000—a number which has knowledge of the garrison. The rock, increased since the date of these estimates which is the principal feature of the posi- or enumerations. Including the British tion, is so inaccessible that a comparatively North West American possessions, and small garrison is required in proportion to linking the whole to the mother country the strength of the fortress. Thus, it is the metropolis of this vast domain, the the least expensive at the same time the Queen's realm will be found to comprise most secure key to the Mediterranean. On territory of about 7,000,000 English square the other hand, the harbour is inferior.

To obtain such an important position is so | 200,000,000 of souls. difficult, while to evacuate it is so easy that deep consideration is required when the startling question is put forward, "Shall

enormous depôts must be secured at certain give up my old amusement; and at one appearance of the verger, on the ledge of the House of Representatives, in Con-Small Fish, intervals. These depôts must be the first time, great scandal was caused in the place above. He had missed me, and had come gress, is considered to be the finest politician Fresh Soles, points of attack; therefore they must be by a report that the curate of St. Bones had to find me. placed at impregnable positions.

Gibraltar is five days' full steaming from horizontal bar in his garden, and in that ejactilations which he had begun to pour, for nearly four years. The improvement Shark Fish, I'm in a great fix; I can't reach which has taken place in Mr. Johnson's Skate.

coaling fortresses to command the Mediter- degree much about the same time. But my is too narrow to give you sufficient purchase the Massachusetts Legislature has consented Gurnet,

stations within that interval, wherever our | What a place that old cathedral roof was ! navy is to be most actively employed. That It was like another and distinct world from this gets about, I shall have to leave the chaplain is evidently a man of great gifts.

the Indian Ocean.

stations would give England the entire comthrough which our commerce could float unmolested until it reached the Mediterraof stations by ceding Gibraltar.

veyed... It is the only spot at the mouth of the Mediterranean that can be termed invulnerable; from that point our cruisers could utterly destroy the commerce of an enemy; at the same time, ships crippled in action, or chased by a superior force, could run both from the Mediterranean and the

The harbour may be vastly improved for less than half the sum that we should uselessly expend at Ceuta. Let England beware how she exchanges " old lamps for the new," lest the spirit of the old lamp should serve its new possessor to her ruin. Let her hold with firm grasp those keys of the world that secure her commercial routes, and then trust in

Atlantic under the guns of Gibraltar.

vidence and to your obedient servant,

December 29th.

THE BRITISH EMPIRE

The usual official returns from the Bri-

KING COAL

tish Possessions were laid before Parliament pulation of 3,753,000; Newfoundland, 40,200 square miles, and 130,000 people; Prince Edward Island, 2173 square miles, and 90,000 inhabitants; British Columbia 213,000 square miles, and 34,816 population in 1861. But this is without reckonbe occupied—territory that brings the extent of British North America up to, perhans. 3.000,000 square miles. sehind in extent is Australia, with 2.582,070 square miles, and a population fast approaching 2,000,000, though only completed offical returns belong. The extent of Western Australia is 978,000 square miles, a territory nearly as large as British India, but with a population (in 1866) of only 21,065; less than a 7000th part of that of India; Queensland is returned 678,009 square miles, and a population of 172 : South Australia, 383,328 square miles, with a population of 163,452; New South Wales, 323,437 square miles with population of 431,412; New Zealand, 06.959 square miles, with a population 208,682; Victoria has been so conspicuous by its great prosperity that many forget its comparatively small extent—87,83 square miles, but with a population 643,912 in 1866, and now about 700,000 Tasmania comprises 26,315 square miles. with 97,368 inhabitants. The West India Islands contain no more than 12,683 square miles; but the population in 1861, wa 934,197; Jamaica has half the area, 6,406 square miles, not far from half the popula

tion, viz. (in 1861), 441,255. The Cape of Good Hope and Natal add 216,755 square miles to British possessions, with a population of 759,261; Ceylon, 24,700 square miles, and 2,088,027 people; Mauritius tion; British Guiana, 76,000 square miles, Sir.—I have read with much interest the and 148,026 people (in 1861); Honduras, public, I submit the following facts for con- Helena, the eight Falklands, Bermuda, Gibraltar, Malta-bring the extent of the Gibraltar is one of the strongest fortresses | possessions of this kingdom beyond sea miles, with a population approaching to

A CLIMBING ADVENTURE

tupon coals, without which our ironclads in good stead. When the timec ame to do), the chances were, that I should strongly tinged with party prejudices, the Mackerel Small, would be as helpless as Nelson's Victory in fer me to leave college, and settle topple forward, and be picked up dead next utmost notice the Democrats receive being down quietly as a curate in acathedral morning in the close, Thus, coals will be the sinews of war, and town in the north of England, 1 did not At this moment, I was delighted at the quity in which they are sunk. The chaplain Salt Fish. by a report that the curate of St. Bones had to find me, been seen depending by his toes from a Jackson, said I, stopping the torrent of ly against the black hearted president Rock Fish,

favourite relaxation, when I had an hour in hauling up; whereas, if you stoop and to the publication of his devotional exercises. Few ships of war will carry more than or two to spare, and the sun was not too give me your hand, you will be able to We have not seen the book, but the seven days' supply of coals for full speed. hot, was to obtain access, by a small fee to exert your whole strength, and raise me. Tribune has, and it says of it :- " Every Common sense will suggest that the maximum the verger, to the roof of the huge old You are a strong man, and I am not partiprayer is a complete little gem in itself. mum effect of a vessel will depend upon cathedral, and (having previously divested cularly heavy.' her fuel; thus, as a period of seven days is myself of my long coat and spotless tie) to the extreme limit of her capacity at full light a cigar, and have a good ramble and replied. speed, we must be provided with coaling scrainble all by myself.

stones, without vegetation and without In the event of a war with a great mari- water (except when it had been raining, time Power, the greater portion, if not the and the gutters were full, in which whole, of our Indian trade would be carried case it became a very unpleasant world I grasped him tight round the wrist with By the English Legislature a settled form through the Red Sea and the Mediterrane indeed), just such a place as I have always both mine, and swung out into the air. I an, as we could protect that route by our fancifully imagined the moon to be. I felt two or three convulsive jerks, and then possession of a magnificent line of coaling looked upon it as my particular kingdom, was raised about half a foot, and lowered fortresses from England to India-ie., Gib- where I reigned in solitary grandeur, with again. He could not lift me! raltar, Malta, to Alexandria, from Aden to the rooks and martins for my subjects; and I looked up. Such a face as met my gaze Bombay, or to Trincomalce, in Ceylon, one | very noisy and abusive subjects they were | I never wish to see again. He was livid | its preservation. of the finest harbours of the East, or to at times. How I delighted—the more, white, his eyes protruded, and were staring Port Louis, in Mauritius, which commands perhaps, from a certain school-boyish sen- with a look of unutterable horror into the sation, that my rector would be very cross awful gulf below; and the perspiration The possession of this chain of coaling if he knew of my excursion—in the tall stood on his forehead. gray towers, up which you had to climb by Let go! he screamed. 'Curse you ; let mand of the Indian Seas and the Red Sea, means of great grinning stone heads, plump go! You are breaking my arm. I am cherubs, scaly dragons, and leaden pipes; coming over. I shall be dashed to pieces. in the view from the top of these towers, Oh!' He screamed and wept like a child, nean; but as the strength of a chain is equal extending over enormous stretches of pleat in the extremity of his fear. My hair stood to its weakest link, so would our power dis- sant country as far as the sea; in the up, and my head swam. I expected to solve should we break the connecting link broad gutter running down the middle of feel myself sweeping through the air every the building, where, if you were provident moment. My despair gave me calmness: France and Spain possess harbours where enough to bring a camp-stool, you might sit and I was almost astonished at the cohevessels can re-coal, and crippled ships can and rest in the shade of the lofty sloping rence and clearness with which I spoke. run for shelter, but without our two, im- roofs which arose on either hand, and see Jackson, said I, listen to me, and stop tends to return to this country, or to resume pregnable fortresses England would be lite- nothing but the blue sky and the swallows; that row. I can feel you are coming over his efforts to support his claim in a court Green Peas, in the Shell rally incapable of action in the Mediterra- and in the scramble up one of these roofs, -further every second. If I let go, I shall to look down the other side into the quiet; be killed—if I don't so shall we both; and a brother of the would-be baronet's, who Asparagus, Gibraltar is the first and strongest point cathedral close, one hundred and twenty I swear I won't let go as long as I can hold has been left during "Sir Roger's absence Chilies, Dried, in our line of communication with the East; feet below, where there was nothing visible on so you had better lift me at once. it is the eagle's nest, from which lofty except occasionally a crawling black spot height the entrance to the sea can be sur- like an ant, which, however, was not an -then came a tremendous heave-and ! ant. but a cauon.

It was during one of these expeditions Jackson lying in a dead faint beside me. that the incident which I am about to I got him down through the trap-door and mention, and which cured me for some into the chapter room, and gave him some months of my love for climbing, occurred. water; but it was a long time before either I must premise that round the outside of of us got over our adventure. It was three the cathedral, where the roof ended, there months before I was on the cathedral roof ran a ledge of about a foot broad. Below again, and then you may be sure I did not this, at some distance, and directly above smoke a cigar in St. Peter's lamp. the great doors, was an immense stone affair was considerably noised abroad by the bracket, which had at one time supported a local press and by the tongue of rumour colossal statue of St. Peter, bearing a large but, owing to the discretion of Jackson iron lamp. This statue, however, had been | who represented the daring climber as hurled down by the iconoclastic followers gentleman from London, who had left no of Oliver Cromwell, and nothing was left name, the public was disappointed, the rector but the lamp, which was secured to the of St. Bones and the dean of the cathedral wall by two stout iron bars. One side of were kept in the dark, and I retain my the lamp had been rusted or broken away, curacy and my love for gymnastics, until it so as to present the appearance of an arm shall please somebody to present me to a chair without legs; and as I stood on the living, when it is probable that an increasledge above looking at it, it struck me that | ed sense of dignity, and a less sylph-like it would be rather an exciting novelty to habit of body, will do away with all tenlet myself down into it and rest, while I dency to climb. smoked a cigar. Without a moment's last session, and have since been printed hesitation, 1 turned round, knelt down, for circulation. British India heads the took a firm grasp of the ledge and in a

list with its vast population of 150,000,000 second was dangling in the air about a souls. Its area, however, 988,901 square hundred feet from the ground. On looking Court of Justiciary, Edinburgh, a young miles, seems almost small when compared down at the lamp, I found I was not exactly man named William Fawcett was found with that of our North American or our, above it; in fact, it was quite two feet guilty of an assault with intent to Australian possessions. British North further out than I had imagined; but this rob in Dundee, in May last, and was America indeed is returned as containing did not cause me much uneasiness. Giving sentenced to five years' penal servitude. In only 532,360 square miles, and a population | myself a slight impetus by striking my foot | the course of the evidence the following 1866 of 4,007,816; the Dominion of against the wall, I swung out, and dropped letter, written by the prisoner while in Canada, 376,986 square miles, with a po- neatly over the side of the lamp into the Dundee Gaol, was read: "Dundee Pridesired resting-place.

and smoking, and enjoying the delicious you can manage to square her I fear nocoolness of the evening air at such a height; thing, but if she swears she saw me have him and the sun was beginning to set before I by the throat it will not go well with me, for thought it time to be moving, especially as they are most d-down on garrotting. ing the vast Northwest territory waiting to I had noticed one or two persons stopping Then again, if she says she saw him with to look up at me, and quite a little-crowd that amount of money, by Heavens they beginning to collect in the close to gaze at might put me in for the robbery, too, and the strange spectacle of a man sitting in St. | there is 7 dead certain. You don't know

> going. Somebody will be finding out who of you and only the moll to come against I am, and then there will be a nice to-do; me; if the block is in town he could be when it suddenly flashed upon me that easily squared. I think you could get 'going' would be an extremely ticklish him sweet, put the gloves on him and Sucking Pigs, process. I was seated in a kind of chair things like that, and get him to say that seemed as it had been made to fit me; that he cannot swear to me in court I could not get either leg up, in order to that would be all that was want stand upright in the lamp, for the seat was | ed. Or it is very easy giving that moll too narrow, and the sides were in the way. a dose. Put Ginger up to it, who the I could not help myself up by these sides, h-would take notice of a w-kicking for they were smooth iron, afforded no the bucket? I would do it for you, grasp, and were too high for me to reach the any of them is squared, tell Ginger to just done; I must rest my hands behind me as I may know. I think it would be a good on the edge of the seat, let myself go over | idea for my mother to get the block prithe edge, and then raise myself up back- vately and make an appeal to him, he ward by my arms alone, with my legs would have a little feeling for her I think ; tucked in under me, until I could place my if you was getting him into the Garrick | Pigs' Heart, feet between my hands. Now, this was a the wifey could talk to him so fine. trick which I had been accustomed to per- you only had one of them squared that's form over and over again on the horizontal all that is wanted, for I am certain there bar; but then any gymnast will be aware is no more against me but them two. how delicate an operation it is, and what a Set your brains to work and stick at nostrain it exerts on the muscle, and how the thing, tell them not to be afraid of perjury least catch, or the slightest 'give' of one in this case, they can't be brought in for arm or wrist, will cause you to collapse it no how; swear black is white; I must Ducks, altogether, and hurl you instantaneously get off if they do they right thing; swear | Teal; in a heap on the mattrass beneath. More- to anything, swear the t--wigs off their Turkeys. over, there is a great difference between a heads, there is no danger of being brought | Pheasants, Cock, horizontal bar ten feet from the ground, in for perjury in this case, not a dwith something soft underneath it, and bit. Bit." At the head of the letter an iron lamp on the side of a cathe-the following was written across dral, with nearly a hundred feet of space | page: "Poison the moll if she for you to tumble through on to a pave- not do what's right; by C--- would Fowls, ment of small round flint pebbles. The think d- little of doing it to save my Capons. more I looked at it, the less I liked it; and | brother. Ginger will fix her if you tell | Hen Eggs, there I sat smiling feebly down at the her to." The following was written inside Duck Eggs, crowd in the close, which was growing the envelope of the letter: "They must larger every moment, ashamed to shout for | not forget about me having a sore hand,

and have to be fetched down like a child that has got on a high shelf, not to speak of the row there will be if it comes to the ears of the rector of St. Bones and his congregation. Here goes! I'll shut my eyes, and think I'm at work in the old gymnasium at Cambridge.

It was all over in minute; and standing up in the lamp, I was wondering how I could have been so foolish, when, to my horror, The great value of a military position is hardly appreciated in time of peace; we will, long ago), I was renowned among the memtherefore, suppose that England is at war bers of that ancient university for my profession and a half out of my reach! In vain State Charlains.—The Legislatures of I strained, and stood on tip-toe; it was all the several states in America are opened England's first effort must be to protect an amusement of which I was particularly of no use; and I began to think I was by prayer, each Legislature appointing a Prawns, the route to India via the Mediterranean. fond, and to which I gave myself up heart condemned to pass the night where I was, "chaplain" of its own for the session. If the Lobsters, France and Spain are at home on the shores and soul; and in consequence, though by no which was anything but a pleasant reflect Democrats are in a majority a chaplain of Frogs, of that sea, where England would be a means a big man, I acquired a hardness of tion I for the seat was so narrow, that I their opinions is selected, but of late the Small Turtles, stranger without Gibraltar and Malta. In muscle, and a degree of confidence and pre- had only kept my place by sitting well Republicans have almost everywhere had Large Turtles, former times the success of our navy was sence of mind in dangerous situations, back t whereas, if I were to go to sleep the devotional arrangements in their own Large Fresh Fish, due to our sailors; in future it will depend which have since frequently stood me (which I should have been almost certain hands. The prayers offered are frequently Small

Malta, which is an equal interval from Ale-was the fortunate possessor of such an that ledge, and you must help me. It will character is not considered to be equivalent and be of no use your getting a rope; the ledge to these efforts. Recently the chaplain of Turbot,

activity must be displayed in the Mediter- that below-a world consisting of rocks and place to-morrow. Come, no nonsense; As the Tribune implies, there are not give me your hand. down on the ledge, and held out his hand, which commonly exist in a State Legislature.

I saw him set his teeth, and shut his eyes

found myself kneeling on the ledge, with

MISCELLANEOUS.

A GAROTTER'S LETTER -At the High son, July 18, 1868—Dear Brother—The I sat there some time, kicking my heels, only thing I am afraid of is that moll. Peter's lamp. what a b-like that will say. It can 'Hollo!' thought I. 'I must think about | surely to God be squared between so many

I saw what was the only thing to be sign M. H. at the bottom of her letter, so

assistance, and to let them see what a fright | that might help me too, as it would not be very likely I could seize him by the Snipe, -Well,' I said to myself, 'if I sit here throat, and compress the same, as it is Partridges, much longer, I shall be good for nothing, stated in my commitment; that will be a Rabbits. It's ridiculous to lose one's head like this, good point I think, he being a stout man. Wild Geese, -Tell them to be sure and stick to not seeing the block, and that I slept in the house that night; not likely that: I could hold him with one hand ; they can swear that my right hand was very sore, not fit to be used anyhow, as it was and | Rice Birds, no mistake." It came out in the course | Wild Pigeons. of the evidence that the meaning of the word "block" was " a man whom a woman might pick up in the street," that

None but a man of rare fulness of mind, could have succeeded in giving expression My good man,' returned I, 'you must. to the faith and worship of such a promis-I can't stop here all night; and besides, if | quous body as a State Legislature." This many spiritual advisers who succeed in Thus urged, Jackson unwillingly crouched | properly interpreting the faith and worship of prayer, which cannot be turned into a political speech by one side or the other, is preferred to the chance of having a supplication offered one day for the abolition of the Irish Church, and one on the next for | Spinage,

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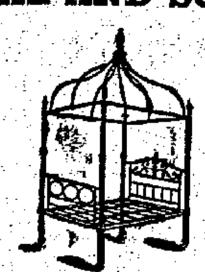
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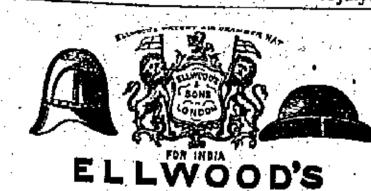
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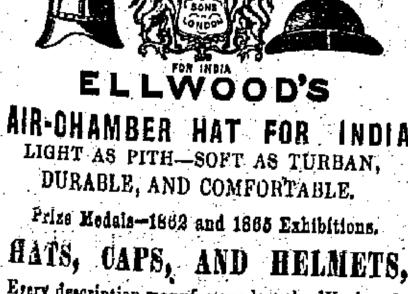
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Vessel's Name.	Captain.	Flag & Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	İntended Despatch.	
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AMOY	Bezaleel	Brit. sch.	Gibb, Livingston & Co
SHANGHAI	U. Servicet	Brit. str.	lWm. Pustau & Co
	Niger *	Brit. str.	Borneo Company
	Bertha*	Brit. str.	Douglas Lapraik & Co
CHEFOO	Suwa	N. Ger. DK.	Bouriau. Hubaner & Co.
	Atlantic	N. Ger. bg.	Carlowitz & Co
	Clipper	N.Ger. sch.	Melchers & Co
Do	L. Braun*	N. Ger. bk.	Bouriau, Hubener & Co.
	Martna	IN. Ger. DK.	lMelchers & Co
УОКОНАМА	D. Pedro II	Brit. bk.	F. K. Banajee
Do	Kedar	Brit. bk.	Carlowitz & Co
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	Hoogly	Fch. str.	Messageries Imperiales
	Amur	Russ. bk.	John Burd & Co
New York	A.W. Stevens	Amer. bk.	A. Heard & Co
	Helvetia	Amer. sh.	Russell & Co
	National Eagle	Amer. sh.	A. Heard & Co
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### MEN-OF-WAR IN HONGKONG HARBOUR.

Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Tons.	Guns.	H. P.	Commander.	
Adventure	British	steam troop ship	1794	2	400	Hy. J. Raby, V.C. Capt.	
Banterer	British	gun boat	230			John E. Pringle, Lt. Com.	
Bouncer	British	gun boat	230	3	60	Rodney Lloyd, Lieut. Comr.	
Cockchafer	British	gun boat	250	1	60	H. W. Kerr	
Flamer	British	Naval hospital	230		•	Attached to Melville	
Janus	British	gun boat	167	3	40	Leicester C. Keppel	
Meeanee	British	Military h'pital	2591			Hospital ship	
Melville	British	Naval hospital				Geo. B. Hill, Staff Surgeon	l
Princess Charlotte	British	receiving ship	2443	14		Oliver J. Jones, Commodore	
Oneida	U. States	steam corvette	1032	10	· •	—. Creighton	
Slaney	British	gan boat	301	. 3	80		
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Vessel	Flag.	Tons.	Captain.	Owners or Agents.
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Dragon	British,			P. & O. S. N. Co
Fame, (110 h.power)	Do.	117	Stephenson	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Fire Dart	$\mathbf{D_0}$	380		II., C. and M. Steam-boat C. pany
Kin Shan	$\mathbf{D_{o}}$ .	456	Benning	H., C. & M. Steam-boat Co.
Kiu Kiang	Do.	617	7	H., C. & M. Steam-boat Co.
Lintin	$\mathbf{D_0}$	69	-	Acheong
Little Orphan	$\mathbf{D_0}$	46	Benning	Union Dock Company a Tug.
Poyang	$\mathbf{D}_{0}$		Cary	H., C. and M. Steam-boat C. pany
Prince Albert	$\mathbf{D_0}$	180	Journ	Q. Acheong
Sir J. Jeejeebhoy	$\overline{\mathbf{D}}_{0}$ .	101	l	O Ash -
Spark	Amer.	140	VI722	Q. Acheong
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